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Senate Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care

- S 0250 \*\*GENERAL BILL by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care (Similar H 0277)  
Public Records/Practitioner Profiles; abrogates repeal of provisions re information & data received by Health Dept. or its agent for purpose of compiling practitioner profiles; revises cross-references. Amends 456.046. Effective Date: 10/01/2002. 03/21/02 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 01212; Substituted HB 277 -SJ 01433; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 277 (Ch. 2002-198)
- H 0277 GENERAL BILL by State Administration (SGC); Brummer (Similar S 0250)  
Public Records/Practitioner Profiles; amends provision which provides exemption from public records requirements for information obtained by Health Department for purpose of compiling such profiles; reenacts such exemption & removes October 2, 2002, repeal thereof scheduled under OGSR Act of 1995; clarifies language. Amends 456.046. Effective Date: 10/01/2002. 03/21/02 HOUSE Ordered enrolled -HJ 02761 04/17/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor 04/29/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-198
- S 0252 \*\*GENERAL BILL by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care (Similar H 0279)  
Health Care Practitioners; redefines terms "license" & "licensee" to include provisional licenses for purposes of provisions re regulation of health care professions & occupations by Medical Quality Assurance Div. of Health Dept.; repeals provisions which provide exemptions from public-records & public-meeting requirements for certain info. re disciplinary proceedings & treatment programs for impaired practitioners & for meetings wherein such info. is discussed. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law. 03/21/02 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 01212; Substituted HB 279 -SJ 01437; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 279 (Ch. 2002-199)
- H 0279 GENERAL BILL by State Administration (SGC); Brummer (Similar S 0252)  
Health Care Practitioners; repeals provisions which provide for application of exemptions from public records & meeting requirements for certain information re disciplinary proceedings & to treatment programs for impaired practitioners, & for related probable cause panel proceedings, when practitioner is provisional licensee or intern, etc. Repeals 490.00515, 491.0047; amends 456.001. Effective Date: 04/29/2002. 03/21/02 HOUSE Ordered enrolled -HJ 02761 04/17/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

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## Senate Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care (Continued)

H 0279 (Continued)

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Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-199

S 0254 \*\*GENERAL BILL by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care (Similar H 0283) Public Records/Ombudsman Committees; amends provision which provides that patient records & certain identifying information held by statewide or district managed care ombudsman committees are confidential & exempt from public-records requirements; amends provision which provides that any portion of committee meeting conducted by statewide or district committees where patient records & certain identifying info. are discussed is exempt from public-meetings requirements, etc. Amends Ch. 641. Effective Date: 10/01/2002.

03/21/02 SENATE Amendment(s) failed -SJ 01438; Substituted HB 283 -SJ 01438; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 283 (Ch. 2002-200)

H 0283 GENERAL BILL by State Administration (SGC); Brummer (Similar S 0254)

Public Records & Meetings Exemption; amends provision which provides exemption from public records requirements for patient records & certain identifying information held by statewide or district managed care ombudsman committees; reenacts such exemption for district managed care ombudsman committees & removes October 2, 2002, repeal thereof scheduled under OGSR Act of 1995; repeals such exemption for statewide managed care ombudsman committee, etc. Amends 641.67,.68. Effective Date: 10/01/2002.

03/21/02 HOUSE Ordered enrolled -HJ 02761

04/17/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

04/29/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-200

S 0256 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care (Similar H 1571) Subscriber Assistance Program; redesignates Statewide Provider & Subscriber Assistance Program as Subscriber Assistance Program; requires Subscriber Assistance Panel to hold record of grievance hearing open for specified period after hearing; requires AHCA to impose fine for each violation re production of records from health care provider or managed care entity; requires that AHCA develop training program for panel members, etc. Amends 408.7056, 641.3154,.511,.58. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

02/21/02 HOUSE In Messages

03/11/02 HOUSE Received, referred to Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC); Council for Competitive Commerce -HJ 00968

03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC)

H 1571 GENERAL BILL by Attkisson (Similar CS/1ST ENG/S 0256)

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H 1571 (Continued)

Subscriber Assistance Program; redesignates Statewide Provider & Subscriber Assistance Program as Subscriber Assistance Program; requires Subscriber Assistance Panel to hold record of grievance hearing open for specified period after hearing; requires AHCA to impose fine for each violation re production of records from health care provider or managed care entity; requires that AHCA develop training program for panel members, etc. Amends 408.7056, 641.3154, .511, .58. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

02/25/02 HOUSE Favorable with 1 amendment(s) by Insurance (CCC);  
YEAS 11 NAYS 0 -HJ 00328

02/27/02 HOUSE Now in Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC) -HJ 00328

03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Fiscal Policy & Resources  
(FRC)

S 0412 \*\*GENERAL BILL by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care (Identical  
H 0693)

Managed Care Ombudsman Committees; amends provision re district managed care ombudsman committees; requires formation of said committee in each district of AHCA; specifies that committee members serve in voluntary capacity; eliminates authorization for committees to conduct site visits with agency; requires AHCA to adopt rules re conflicts of interest for committees; amends provision re immunity from liability & limitation on testimony for said committees, etc. Amends Ch. 641. Appropriation: \$300,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/20/02 HOUSE In Messages; Received, referred to Health & Human Services Appropriations (FRC) -HJ 02248

03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Health & Human Services  
Appropriations (FRC)

H 0693 GENERAL BILL by Bucher; (CO-SPONSORS) Sobel; Gannon; Bullard  
(Identical S 0412)

Managed Care Ombudsman Committees; amends provision re district managed care ombudsman committees; requires formation of said committee in each district of AHCA; specifies that committee members serve in voluntary capacity; eliminates authorization for committees to conduct site visits with agency; requires AHCA to adopt rules re conflicts of interest for committees; amends provision re immunity from liability & limitation on testimony for said committees, etc. Amends Ch. 641. Appropriation: \$300,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

02/07/02 HOUSE Favorable with 1 amendment(s) by Health Promotion (HCC); YEAS 8 NAYS 0 -HJ 00228

02/11/02 HOUSE Now in Health & Human Services Appropriations (FRC)  
-HJ 00228

03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Health & Human Services  
Appropriations (FRC)

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## Senate Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care (Continued)

- S 0414 \*\*GENERAL BILL by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care (Compare 2ND ENG/H 0703, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0596, CS/2ND ENG/S 1276, CS/CS/S 1838) Long-term Care Ombudsman Program; increases maximum membership of local long-term care ombudsman councils; requires State Long-Term Care Ombudsman Council to publish complaint information quarterly; specifies training requirements for employees of State Long-Term Care Ombudsman & its volunteers. Amends 400.0069,.0089,.0091. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.  
02/21/02 HOUSE In Messages  
03/11/02 HOUSE Received, referred to Rules, Ethics & Elections (PRC) -HJ 00969  
03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Rules, Ethics & Elections (PRC), Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1276 (Ch. 2002-223)
- H 0703 GENERAL BILL/2ND ENG by Green; Fasano; (CO-SPONSORS) Rubio; Goodlette; Bilirakis; Baxley; Harrell; Murman; Kilmer; Clarke; Atwater; Bowen; Waters; Sobel; Rich; Heyman; Mayfield; Trovillion; Benson; Lynn; Brummer; Romeo; Harrington; Kottkamp; Joyner; Fields; Greenstein; Kendrick; Flanagan; Stansel; Davis; Argenziano; Sorensen; Gottlieb; Dockery; Detert; Lerner; Wilson; Richardson; Gelber; Bullard (Similar CS/CS/S 1838, Compare S 0414, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0596, CS/2ND ENG/S 1276) Long-term Care; creates "Florida Consumer-Directed Care Act"; establishes consumer-directed care program; requires AHCA & Elderly Affairs Dept. to submit plan to Governor & Legislature for reducing nursing home bed days funded under Medicaid program; requires AHCA to establish nursing facility preadmission screening program; provides for administration of State Long-Term Care Ombudsman Council by Elderly Affairs Dept., etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.  
03/18/02 SENATE In Messages  
03/20/02 SENATE Received, referred to Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations -SJ 01216  
03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1276 (Ch. 2002-223)
- S 0596 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Appropriations; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care (Compare 2ND ENG/H 0703, S 0414, CS/2ND ENG/S 1276, CS/CS/S 1838) Long-term Care; provides legislative findings & intent re needs of state's elderly population; requires AHCA & Elderly Affairs Dept. to submit plan to Governor & Legislature for reducing nursing-home-bed days funded under Medicaid program; requires AHCA to establish nursing facility preadmission screening program through interagency agreement with Elderly Affairs Dept.; establishes Long-Term-Care Policy Office within said dept, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

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## Senate Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care (Continued)

- S 0596 (Continued)  
03/22/02 HOUSE CS passed as amended; YEAS 114 NAYS 1 -HJ 02778  
03/22/02 SENATE In returning messages; Died in returning Messages,  
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1276  
(Ch. 2002-223)
- S 1276 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Appropriations; Silver (Compare CS/2ND  
ENG/H 0385, 2ND ENG/H 0703, H 1257, H 1761, S 0414, CS/CS/1ST  
ENG/S 0596, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 1150, CS/CS/S 1286, CS/CS/S 1838)  
Fla. Health & Human Services Access; creates "Florida Health &  
Human Services Access Act"; requires AHCA to establish as pilot  
project comprehensive health & human services eligibility access  
system; authorizes agency to request federal waivers; authorizes  
planning, development, & implementation of Florida 211 Network;  
authorizes AHCA to contract with entity providing prepaid or  
fixed-sum health care & social services to elderly recipients, etc.  
Amends FS. Effective Date: 05/01/2002.  
03/22/02 SENATE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -SJ 01558  
04/18/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor  
05/01/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-223; See  
also CS/HB 385 (Ch. 2002-282)
- S 1838 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Children and Families; Health, Aging and  
Long-Term Care; Brown-Waite (Similar 2ND ENG/H 0703, Compare  
S 0414, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0596, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 1150, CS/2ND  
ENG/S 1276)  
Florida Consumer-Directed Care Act; creates said act; provides  
legislative findings & intent; requires AHCA & Elderly Affairs to  
submit plan to Governor & Legislature for reducing nursing-home-bed  
days funded under Medicaid program; requires AHCA to establish  
nursing facility preadmission screening program; requires Elderly  
Affairs Dept. & AHCA to implement nursing home transition program,  
etc. Amends Chs. 400, 409, 408, 430, 641. Effective Date:  
07/01/2002.  
03/11/02 SENATE CS read first time on 03/13/02 -SJ 00517  
03/13/02 SENATE Now in Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and  
Human Services -SJ 00589  
03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on  
Health and Human Services, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare  
passed, refer to CS/SB 1276 (Ch. 2002-223)
- S 0596 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Appropriations; Health, Aging and  
Long-Term Care; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care (Compare 2ND  
ENG/H 0703, S 0414, CS/2ND ENG/S 1276, CS/CS/S 1838)  
Long-term Care; provides legislative findings & intent re needs of  
state's elderly population; requires AHCA & Elderly Affairs Dept.  
to submit plan to Governor & Legislature for reducing  
nursing-home-bed days funded under Medicaid program; requires AHCA  
to establish nursing facility preadmission screening program

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S 0596 \*\*(Continued)

through interagency agreement with Elderly Affairs Dept.;  
establishes Long-Term-Care Policy Office within said dept, etc.  
Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/22/02 HOUSE CS passed as amended; YEAS 114 NAYS 1 -HJ 02778

03/22/02 SENATE In returning messages; Died in returning Messages,  
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1276  
(Ch. 2002-223)

H 0703

GENERAL BILL/2ND ENG by Green; Fasano; (CO-SPONSORS) Rubio;  
Goodlette; Bilirakis; Baxley; Harrell; Murman; Kilmer; Clarke;  
Atwater; Bowen; Waters; Sobel; Rich; Heyman; Mayfield; Trovillion;  
Benson; Lynn; Brummer; Romeo; Harrington; Kottkamp; Joyner; Fields;  
Greenstein; Kendrick; Flanagan; Stansel; Davis; Argenziano;  
Sorensen; Gottlieb; Dockery; Detert; Lerner; Wilson; Richardson;  
Gelber; Bullard (Similar CS/CS/S 1838, Compare S 0414, CS/CS/1ST  
ENG/S 0596, CS/2ND ENG/S 1276)

Long-term Care; creates "Florida Consumer-Directed Care Act";  
establishes consumer-directed care program; requires AHCA & Elderly  
Affairs Dept. to submit plan to Governor & Legislature for reducing  
nursing home bed days funded under Medicaid program; requires AHCA  
to establish nursing facility preadmission screening program;  
provides for administration of State Long-Term Care Ombudsman  
Council by Elderly Affairs Dept., etc. Amends FS. Effective Date:  
07/01/2002.

03/18/02 SENATE In Messages

03/20/02 SENATE Received, referred to Health, Aging and Long-Term  
Care; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and  
Human Services; Appropriations -SJ 01216

03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term  
Care, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB  
1276 (Ch. 2002-223)

S 0414

GENERAL BILL by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care (Compare 2ND  
ENG/H 0703, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0596, CS/2ND ENG/S 1276, CS/CS/S 1838)

Long-term Care Ombudsman Program; increases maximum membership of  
local long-term care ombudsman councils; requires State Long-Term  
Care Ombudsman Council to publish complaint information quarterly;  
specifies training requirements for employees of State Long-Term  
Care Ombudsman & its volunteers. Amends 400.0069,.0089,.0091.  
Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

02/21/02 HOUSE In Messages

03/11/02 HOUSE Received, referred to Rules, Ethics & Elections  
(PRC) -HJ 00969

03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Rules, Ethics & Elections  
(PRC), Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB  
1276 (Ch. 2002-223)

S 1276

GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Appropriations; Silver (Compare CS/2ND  
ENG/H 0385, 2ND ENG/H 0703, H 1257, H 1761, S 0414, CS/CS/1ST  
ENG/S 0596, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 1150, CS/CS/S 1286, CS/CS/S 1838)

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S 1276 (Continued)

Fla. Health & Human Services Access; creates "Florida Health & Human Services Access Act"; requires AHCA to establish as pilot project comprehensive health & human services eligibility access system; authorizes agency to request federal waivers; authorizes planning, development, & implementation of Florida 211 Network; authorizes AHCA to contract with entity providing prepaid or fixed-sum health care & social services to elderly recipients, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 05/01/2002.

03/22/02 SENATE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -SJ 01558

04/18/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

05/01/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-223; See also CS/HB 385 (Ch. 2002-282)

S 1838 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Children and Families; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Brown-Waite (Similar 2ND ENG/H 0703, Compare S 0414, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0596, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 1150, CS/2ND ENG/S 1276)

Florida Consumer-Directed Care Act; creates said act; provides legislative findings & intent; requires AHCA & Elderly Affairs to submit plan to Governor & Legislature for reducing nursing-home-bed days funded under Medicaid program; requires AHCA to establish nursing facility preadmission screening program; requires Elderly Affairs Dept. & AHCA to implement nursing home transition program, etc. Amends Chs. 400, 409, 408, 430, 641. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/11/02 SENATE CS read first time on 03/13/02 -SJ 00517

03/13/02 SENATE Now in Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services -SJ 00589

03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1276 (Ch. 2002-223)

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Senate Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care

- S 0010 \*\*CLAIMS/LOCAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care;  
Villalobos (Identical 1ST ENG/H 0061)  
Relief/Mark Schwartz; provides for relief of Mark Schwartz, a  
minor, for injuries sustained as result of negligence of employees  
of Coral Springs Medical Center. Claim: \$400,000. Effective Date:  
06/05/2002.  
03/22/02 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 02115  
05/21/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor  
06/05/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-312
- H 0061 CLAIMS/LOCAL BILL/1ST ENG by Seiler (Identical CS/S 0010)  
Relief/Mark Schwartz; provides for relief of Mark Schwartz, a  
minor, for injuries sustained as result of negligence of employees  
of Coral Springs Medical Center. Claim: \$400,000. Effective Date:  
Upon becoming law.  
03/14/02 HOUSE Amendment(s) adopted -HJ 01234  
03/20/02 HOUSE Temporarily postponed, on Third Reading -HJ 02227  
03/22/02 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed,  
refer to CS/SB 10 (Ch. 2002-312)
- S 0216 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Cowin  
Nurse Recruitment & Retention; provides appropriation to Health  
Dept.; requires private match of appropriated funds; provides for  
grants to hospitals for nurse recruitment & retention; provides for  
rules; provides eligibility criteria. Appropriation: \$1,000,000.  
Effective Date: Upon becoming law.  
01/22/02 SENATE Favorable by Finance and Taxation; YEAS 6 NAYS 0  
-SJ 00072; Now in Appropriations Subcommittee on  
Health and Human Services -SJ 00072  
03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on  
Health and Human Services
- S 0256 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care;  
Health, Aging and Long-Term Care (Similar H 1571)  
Subscriber Assistance Program; redesignates Statewide Provider &  
Subscriber Assistance Program as Subscriber Assistance Program;  
requires Subscriber Assistance Panel to hold record of grievance  
hearing open for specified period after hearing; requires AHCA to  
impose fine for each violation re production of records from health  
care provider or managed care entity; requires that AHCA develop  
training program for panel members, etc. Amends 408.7056,  
641.3154,.511,.58. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.  
02/21/02 HOUSE In Messages  
03/11/02 HOUSE Received, referred to Fiscal Policy & Resources  
(FRC); Council for Competitive Commerce -HJ 00968  
03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Fiscal Policy & Resources

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S 0256 \*\* (Continued)

03/22/02 HOUSE (FRC)

H 1571 GENERAL BILL by Attkisson (Similar CS/1ST ENG/S 0256)

Subscriber Assistance Program; redesignates Statewide Provider & Subscriber Assistance Program as Subscriber Assistance Program; requires Subscriber Assistance Panel to hold record of grievance hearing open for specified period after hearing; requires AHCA to impose fine for each violation re production of records from health care provider or managed care entity; requires that AHCA develop training program for panel members, etc. Amends 408.7056, 641.3154, .511, .58. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

02/25/02 HOUSE Favorable with 1 amendment(s) by Insurance (CCC);  
YEAS 11 NAYS 0 -HJ 00328

02/27/02 HOUSE Now in Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC) -HJ 00328

03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Fiscal Policy & Resources  
(FRC)

S 0362 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/2ND ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care;

Banking and Insurance; Saunders; (CO-SPONSORS) Campbell; Peaden;  
Cowin (Compare CS/H 0293, CS/2ND ENG/H 0507, H 0927, H 2007)

Health Insurance; includes preferred provider organization & health insurers in claim dispute resolution program; provides requirements & procedures for payment or denial of claims; establishes permissive error ratio & provides guidelines for applying ratio; provides that HMOs remain liable for certain violations that occur after transfer of certain financial obligations through health care risk contracts, etc. Amends Chs. 626, 627, 641, 408.7057.  
Effective Date: 10/01/2002.

03/22/02 HOUSE Read third time -HJ 02769; Amendment(s)  
reconsidered, Temporarily postponed -HJ 02836; Died  
on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to  
SB 46-E (Ch. 2002-389)

H 0293 GENERAL BILL/CS by Council for Healthy Communities; Benson;

(CO-SPONSORS) Negron; Green; Harrell; Ritter; Fasano; Slosberg;  
Wishner; Farkas; Kravitz; Russell (Linked H 0927, Similar H 2007,  
Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0507, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0362)

Health Care Coverage Procedures; includes preferred provider organizations & health insurers in claim dispute resolution program; specifies timeframes for submission of supporting documentation necessary for dispute resolution; specifies payment of claims provisions applicable to certain health insurers; modifies circumstances under which provider knows that organization is liable for service reimbursement, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 10/01/2002 except as otherwise provided.

03/06/02 HOUSE Pending review of CS under Rule 6 -HJ 00859; Placed  
on Calendar -HJ 00859

03/22/02 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed,

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- H 0293 (Continued)  
03/22/02 HOUSE refer to SB 46-E (Ch. 2002-389)
- H 0507 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Council for Healthy Communities; Fasano; Farkas; (CO-SPONSORS) Fiorentino; Sobel; Slosberg; Wilson; Brutus; Gelber; Rich; Joyner (Compare CS/1ST ENG/H 0137, CS/H 0293, H 0589, H 0597, CS/CS/H 0879, CS/H 1217, H 1233, 2ND ENG/H 1375, H 1405, CS/H 1415, H 1579, H 1797, H 2007, S 0146, CS/1ST ENG/S 0268, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0362, CS/CS/S 0370, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0484, CS/2ND ENG/S 1108, CS/S 1216, CS/1ST ENG/S 1262, CS/1ST ENG/S 1264, CS/S 1380, CS/CS/S 1490, CS/S 1950, CS/2ND ENG/S 2048, S 2064, S 2128, CS/S 2226, S 2298, S 2388, S 2462)  
Emergencies & Disasters/Response; transfers to Health Dept. powers, duties, functions, & assets that relate to consumer complaint services, investigations, & prosecutorial services performed by AHCA under contract with department; provides additional penalties to be imposed on certain health care practitioners re notice to patients concerning availability & access to medical records; specifies terms under which public health emergency is declared, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$50,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2002 except as otherwise provided.  
03/22/02 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 36 NAYS 1 -SJ 02079  
03/22/02 HOUSE In returning messages; Died in returning Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 1405 (Ch. 2002-254), CS/SB 268 (Ch. 2002-195), CS/SB 1262 (Ch. 2002-269), CS/SB 2048 (Ch. 2002-35), HB 59-E (Ch. 2002-400)
- H 0927 GENERAL BILL by Benson (Linked H 0181, CS/H 0293, H 2007, Compare CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0362, S 1850)  
Public Records/Managed Care Org.; exempts certain information provided to dispute resolution organization or AHCA under certain circumstances; provides for future review or repeal under certain circumstances; specifies legislative findings of public necessity. Creates 408.7058. Effective Date: Contingent.  
01/21/02 HOUSE Referred to State Administration (SGC); Council for Smarter Government  
01/22/02 HOUSE Introduced, referred to State Administration (SGC); Council for Smarter Government -HJ 00066  
03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on State Administration (SGC), Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 46-E (Ch. 2002-389)
- H 2007 GENERAL BILL by Council for Healthy Communities; Fasano; Russell (Linked H 0927, Similar CS/H 0293, Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0507, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0362)  
Health Care Coverage Procedures; exempts certain services, construction, or programs from certificate-of-need review requirements for existing health facilities under certain circumstances; revises definitions to include preferred provider organizations & health insurers in claim dispute resolution

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H 2007 (Continued)

program; specifies payment of claims provisions applicable to certain health insurers, etc. Amends Chs. 408, 627, 641. Effective Date: 10/01/2002 except as otherwise provided.

03/15/02 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Substituted CS/CS/SB 362 (Died on House Calendar); Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 46-E (Ch. 2002-389) -HJ 01898

S 0370 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Appropriations; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Saunders; (CO-SPONSORS) Miller (Similar CS/S 1950, Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0507, H 0589, CS/H 1217, CS/CS/S 1490, S 2064, S 2462) Health Regulation; terminates standardized credentialing program for health care practitioners; requires accreditation of physician offices in which surgery is performed; exempts certain persons from radiologic technologist certification & provides certain training requirements for such exemption; defines term "medically unnecessary procedure"; requires AHCA to adopt rules governing conduct of inspections or investigations, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2002 except as otherwise provided.

03/22/02 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 01482; Substituted CS/HB 507 (Died in House Returning Messages) -SJ 02043; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 59-E (Ch. 2002-400)

S 1950 GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Sullivan (Similar CS/CS/S 0370, Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0507, H 0589, CS/H 1217, CS/CS/S 1490, S 2064, S 2462) Health Regulation; transfers to Health Dept. powers, duties, functions, & assets that relate to consumer complaint services, investigations, & prosecutorial services by AHCA under contract with dept.; requires accreditation of physician offices in which surgery is performed; exempts certain persons from radiologic technologist certification & provides certain training requirements for such exemption; defines term "medically unnecessary procedure", etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$50,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2002 except as otherwise provided.

03/20/02 SENATE Withdrawn from Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations -SJ 01212; Placed on Calendar, on second reading

03/22/02 SENATE Died on Calendar

H 0507 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Council for Healthy Communities; Fasano; Farkas; (CO-SPONSORS) Fiorentino; Sobel; Slosberg; Wilson; Brutus; Gelber; Rich; Joyner (Compare CS/1ST ENG/H 0137, CS/H 0293, H 0589, H 0597, CS/CS/H 0879, CS/H 1217, H 1233, 2ND ENG/H 1375, H 1405, CS/H 1415, H 1579, H 1797, H 2007, S 0146, CS/1ST

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H 0507 (Continued)

ENG/S 0268, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0362, CS/CS/S 0370, CS/CS/1ST  
ENG/S 0484, CS/2ND ENG/S 1108, CS/S 1216, CS/1ST ENG/S 1262, CS/1ST  
ENG/S 1264, CS/S 1380, CS/CS/S 1490, CS/S 1950, CS/2ND ENG/S 2048,  
S 2064, S 2128, CS/S 2226, S 2298, S 2388, S 2462)

Emergencies & Disasters/Response; transfers to Health Dept. powers,  
duties, functions, & assets that relate to consumer complaint  
services, investigations, & prosecutorial services performed by  
AHCA under contract with department; provides additional penalties  
to be imposed on certain health care practitioners re notice to  
patients concerning availability & access to medical records;  
specifies terms under which public health emergency is declared,  
etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$50,000. Effective Date:  
07/01/2002 except as otherwise provided.

03/22/02 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 36 NAYS 1 -SJ 02079

03/22/02 HOUSE In returning messages; Died in returning Messages,  
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 1405 (Ch.  
2002-254), CS/SB 268 (Ch. 2002-195), CS/SB 1262  
(Ch. 2002-269), CS/SB 2048 (Ch. 2002-35), HB 59-E  
(Ch. 2002-400)

H 0589 GENERAL BILL by Berfield; Murman; (CO-SPONSORS) Negron; Sobel  
(Similar CS/CS/S 1490, Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0507, CS/H 1217,  
CS/CS/S 0370, CS/S 1216, CS/S 1950)

Emergency Services & Care/Health; revises definitions re emergency  
services & care provided by hospitals & related facilities; revises  
provisions re hospital service capability & access to emergency  
services & care; establishes program under agency to reimburse  
health care facilities & practitioners for cost of uncompensated  
emergency services & care; provides requirements for health  
insurance policy coverage of said services & care, etc. Amends FS.  
Appropriation: \$50,000,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/07/02 HOUSE Withdrawn from Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC)

-HJ 00862; Now in Council for Healthy Communities

H 1217 03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Council on Council for Healthy Communities  
GENERAL BILL/CS by Council for Healthy Communities; Health  
Regulation (HCC); Farkas; (CO-SPONSORS) Sobel; Fiorentino; Johnson;  
Alexander; Ritter; Harrell; Wishner; Siplin; Rubio; Kravitz; Hogan  
(Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0507, H 0589, CS/CS/S 0370, CS/S 1216,  
CS/CS/S 1490, CS/S 1950, S 2064, S 2388, S 2462)

Health Care/Prof. Responsibility; transfers to Health Dept. powers,  
duties, functions, & assets that relate to consumer complaint  
services, investigations, & prosecutorial services performed by  
AHCA under contract with dept.; provides additional conditions for  
impaired practitioners to enroll in treatment program as  
alternative to discipline; provides continuing education credits to  
health care practitioners for certain life support training, etc.  
Amends FS. Appropriation: \$50,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2002  
except as otherwise provided.

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H 1217 (Continued)  
 03/15/02 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on Calendar  
 03/22/02 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 59-E (Ch. 2002-400)

S 1490 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Appropriations; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Campbell (Similar H 0589, Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0507, CS/H 1217, CS/CS/S 0370, CS/S 1216, CS/S 1950)  
Emergency Services & Care/Health; requires AHCA to adopt rules governing conduct of inspections or investigations; revises provisions governing internal risk-management program; redefines term "advanced life support" & "basic life support"; revises requirements for providing emergency services & care under Medicaid managed care plans & MediPass; provides requirements for health insurance policy coverage of hospital emergency services & care, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.  
 03/22/02 SENATE CS passed; YEAS 36 NAYS 0 -SJ 02001  
 03/22/02 HOUSE In Messages; Died in Messages

S 2064 GENERAL BILL by Geller (Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0507, CS/H 1217, CS/CS/S 0370, CS/S 1950)  
Health Care Providers; specifies medical liability actions with respect to which Health Dept. must maintain information on certain licensees; revises definition of term "repeated malpractice" for purposes of disciplinary action against physicians & osteopaths; increases monetary limits of claims against certain health care providers which result in investigation, etc. Amends 456.041, 458.331, 459.015, 627.912. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.  
 02/26/02 SENATE Favorable with 1 amendment(s) by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; YEAS 9 NAYS 0 -SJ 00346  
 02/27/02 SENATE Now in Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services -SJ 00346  
 03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services

S 2462 GENERAL BILL by Cowin (Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0507, CS/H 1217, CS/CS/S 0370, CS/S 1950)  
Health Care; provides for medical academic research privilege; redefines term "clinic" for purpose of registration with Health Dept.; revises grounds for discipline of health care practitioners; redefines term "medical review committee". Creates 405.04; amends 456.0375,.072, 766.101. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.  
 02/26/02 SENATE Introduced, referred to Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Judiciary -SJ 00323  
 02/28/02 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Health, Aging and Long-Term Care, 03/05/02, 1:00 pm, 110-S --Not considered  
 03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care

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- S 0402 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Campbell (Linked CS/S 1494, Similar H 1481, Compare H 1509) Ernest Belles Act; defines term "pharmaceutical adverse incident" & requires that such incidents be reported to Health Dept.; provides exceptions; requires department to review reported incidents to determine whether incidents potentially involve conduct by health care practitioner that is subject to disciplinary action; specifies that any disciplinary action shall be taken by appropriate board; provides for adoption of forms & rules. Effective Date: 07/01/2002 except as otherwise provided.  
 03/15/02 HOUSE In Messages  
 03/20/02 HOUSE Received, referred to Council for Healthy Communities -HJ 02248  
 03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Council on Council for Healthy Communities
- S 1494 GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Campbell (Linked CS/1ST ENG/S 0402, Similar H 1509, Compare H 1481) Pub. Records/Adverse-incident Report; exempts from public-records requirements certain adverse-incident reports of Health Dept. which pertain to patients, pharmacies, or related matters; provides guidelines for use of such information; provides finding of public necessity. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.  
 02/12/02 SENATE CS read first time on 02/14/02 -SJ 00260  
 02/14/02 SENATE Now in Judiciary -SJ 00255  
 03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Judiciary
- H 1481 GENERAL BILL by Cusack (Linked H 1509, Similar CS/1ST ENG/S 0402, Compare CS/S 1494) Ernest Belles Act; defines term "pharmaceutical adverse incident" & requires that such incidents be reported to Health Dept.; provides exceptions; requires department to review reported incidents to determine whether incidents potentially involve conduct by health care practitioner that is subject to disciplinary action; specifies that any disciplinary action shall be taken by appropriate board; provides for adoption of forms & rules. Effective Date: 07/01/2002 except as otherwise provided.  
 02/05/02 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00174  
 02/07/02 HOUSE Referred to Health Regulation (HCC); Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC); Council for Healthy Communities -HJ 00219  
 03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Health Regulation (HCC)
- H 1509 GENERAL BILL by Cusack (Linked H 1481, Similar CS/S 1494, Compare CS/1ST ENG/S 0402) Pub. Records/Adverse-incident Report; exempts from public-records requirements certain adverse-incident reports of Health Dept. which pertain to patients, pharmacies, or related matters; provides guidelines for use of such information; provides finding of public necessity. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.  
 02/05/02 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00176  
 02/07/02 HOUSE Referred to Health Regulation (HCC); State Administration (SGC); Council for Healthy

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H 1509 (Continued)

02/07/02 HOUSE Communities -HJ 00219

03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Health Regulation (HCC)

S 0484 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Appropriations; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Silver (Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0507, H 0597, CS/2ND ENG/S 1108)

Subacute Pediatric Transitional Care; requires AHCA to conduct study of health care services provided to medically fragile or medical-technology-dependent children; requires AHCA to conduct pilot program for subacute pediatric transitional care center; requires agency to amend Medicaid state plan & seek federal waivers as necessary; provides requirements for admission, transfer, & discharge of child to center, etc. Effective Date: 10/01/2002.

03/13/02 HOUSE In Messages

03/20/02 HOUSE Received, referred to Council for Healthy Communities -HJ 02249

03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Council on Council for Healthy Communities, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 59-E (Ch. 2002-400)

H 0507 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Council for Healthy Communities; Fasano; Farkas; (CO-SPONSORS) Fiorentino; Sobel; Slosberg; Wilson; Brutus; Gelber; Rich; Joyner (Compare CS/1ST ENG/H 0137, CS/H 0293, H 0589, H 0597, CS/CS/H 0879, CS/H 1217, H 1233, 2ND ENG/H 1375, H 1405, CS/H 1415, H 1579, H 1797, H 2007, S 0146, CS/1ST ENG/S 0268, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0362, CS/CS/S 0370, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0484, CS/2ND ENG/S 1108, CS/S 1216, CS/1ST ENG/S 1262, CS/1ST ENG/S 1264, CS/S 1380, CS/CS/S 1490, CS/S 1950, CS/2ND ENG/S 2048, S 2064, S 2128, CS/S 2226, S 2298, S 2388, S 2462)

Emergencies & Disasters/Response; transfers to Health Dept. powers, duties, functions, & assets that relate to consumer complaint services, investigations, & prosecutorial services performed by AHCA under contract with department; provides additional penalties to be imposed on certain health care practitioners re notice to patients concerning availability & access to medical records; specifies terms under which public health emergency is declared, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$50,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2002 except as otherwise provided.

03/22/02 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 36 NAYS 1 -SJ 02079

03/22/02 HOUSE In returning messages; Died in returning Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 1405 (Ch. 2002-254), CS/SB 268 (Ch. 2002-195), CS/SB 1262 (Ch. 2002-269), CS/SB 2048 (Ch. 2002-35), HB 59-E (Ch. 2002-400)

H 0597 GENERAL BILL by Lerner; (CO-SPONSORS) Sobel; Ritter; Rich; Joyner; Peterman; Detert; Barreiro; Heyman (Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0507, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0484, CS/2ND ENG/S 1108)

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H 0597 (Continued)

Children's Medical Services/SPPEAC; provides legislative intent re licensure & regulation of facilities that provide care for medically fragile or technologically dependent children; provides requirements for licensure of subacute pediatric prescribed extended alternative care centers (SPPEAC); provides requirements for licensee in administering & managing SPPEAC center; provides requirements for nursing services provided at said center, etc. Effective Date: 10/01/2002.

02/14/02 HOUSE Now in Council for Healthy Communities -HJ 00272

02/22/02 HOUSE On Council agenda-- Council for Healthy Communities, 02/26/02, 8:00 am, Reed Hall --Not considered

03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Council on Council for Healthy Communities, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 59-E (Ch. 2002-400)

S 1108 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Appropriations; Silver (Similar 1ST ENG/H 1975, Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0507, H 0597, H 1577, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0484, CS/S 1980, S 2166, S 2356)

Health Care; provides for feasibility study re outsourcing specified functions of Dentistry Board; requires agency to contract for evaluation of Fla. Kidcare program; revises provisions governing purchase of goods & services for Medicaid recipients; authorizes AHCA to conduct pilot project on overnight stays in ambulatory surgical center; revises duties of Fla. Healthy Kids Corp. re annual determination of participation, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$50,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/21/02 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 36 NAYS 0 -SJ 01298

03/22/02 HOUSE In Messages; Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 59-E (Ch. 2002-400)

S 0576 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Finance and Taxation; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Wise; (CO-SPONSORS) Crist (Linked S 2570, Similar CS/CS/H 0295)

Persons With Disabilities; directs Florida Association of Centers for Independent Living to develop personal care attendant pilot program to serve persons with spinal cord injuries; provides eligibility for pilot program participation; provides for assessment of participants for work-related training programs; provides for development of plan for program implementation; directs DOR to develop & implement tax collection enforcement diversion program, etc. Creates 413.402. Appropriation: \$250,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/21/02 SENATE Amendment(s) adopted -SJ 01434; Substituted

CS/CS/HB 295 -SJ 01434; Laid on Table,

Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/HB 295

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S 0576 \*(Continued)

03/21/02 SENATE (Ch. 2002-286)

S 2570 GENERAL BILL by Wise (Linked CS/CS/S 0576, Compare CS/CS/H 0295) Endowment Foundation for Voc. Rehab.; creates account in operating account of Florida Endowment Foundation for Vocational Rehabilitation; provides sources of funds & uses of moneys in account; provides for future review & termination or re-creation of account. Effective Date: Contingent.

01/22/02 SENATE Filed

03/07/02 SENATE Introduced, referred to Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government; Appropriations -SJ 00475

03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/HB 295 (Ch. 2002-286)

H 0295 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Council for Healthy Communities; Health & Human Services Appropriations (FRC); Littlefield; Mahon; (CO-SPONSORS) Murman; Lynn (Similar CS/CS/S 0576, Compare S 2570) Persons With Disabilities; directs Florida Association of Centers for Independent Living to develop personal care attendant pilot program to serve persons with spinal cord injuries; provides for use of licensed nurse registry to recruit & screen participants & act as fiscal intermediary; provides for development of plan for program implementation; directs DOR to develop & implement tax collection enforcement diversion program, etc. Creates 413.402. Appropriation: \$250,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/21/02 HOUSE Ordered enrolled -HJ 02761

05/20/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

05/30/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-286

S 0596 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Appropriations; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care (Compare 2ND ENG/H 0703, S 0414, CS/2ND ENG/S 1276, CS/CS/S 1838) Long-term Care; provides legislative findings & intent re needs of state's elderly population; requires AHCA & Elderly Affairs Dept. to submit plan to Governor & Legislature for reducing nursing-home-bed days funded under Medicaid program; requires AHCA to establish nursing facility preadmission screening program through interagency agreement with Elderly Affairs Dept.; establishes Long-Term-Care Policy Office within said dept, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/22/02 HOUSE CS passed as amended; YEAS 114 NAYS 1 -HJ 02778

03/22/02 SENATE In returning messages; Died in returning Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1276 (Ch. 2002-223)

H 0703 GENERAL BILL/2ND ENG by Green; Fasano; (CO-SPONSORS) Rubio; Goodlette; Bilirakis; Baxley; Harrell; Murman; Kilmer; Clarke; Atwater; Bowen; Waters; Sobel; Rich; Heyman; Mayfield; Trovillion;

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H 0703 (Continued)

Benson; Lynn; Brummer; Romeo; Harrington; Kottkamp; Joyner; Fields; Greenstein; Kendrick; Flanagan; Stansel; Davis; Argenziano; Sorensen; Gottlieb; Dockery; Detert; Lerner; Wilson; Richardson; Gelber; Bullard (Similar CS/CS/S 1838, Compare S 0414, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0596, CS/2ND ENG/S 1276)

Long-term Care; creates "Florida Consumer-Directed Care Act"; establishes consumer-directed care program; requires AHCA & Elderly Affairs Dept. to submit plan to Governor & Legislature for reducing nursing home bed days funded under Medicaid program; requires AHCA to establish nursing facility preadmission screening program; provides for administration of State Long-Term Care Ombudsman Council by Elderly Affairs Dept., etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/18/02 SENATE In Messages

03/20/02 SENATE Received, referred to Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations -SJ 01216

03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1276 (Ch. 2002-223)

S 0414 GENERAL BILL by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care (Compare 2ND ENG/H 0703, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0596, CS/2ND ENG/S 1276, CS/CS/S 1838) Long-term Care Ombudsman Program; increases maximum membership of local long-term care ombudsman councils; requires State Long-Term Care Ombudsman Council to publish complaint information quarterly; specifies training requirements for employees of State Long-Term Care Ombudsman & its volunteers. Amends 400.0069,.0089,.0091. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

02/21/02 HOUSE In Messages

03/11/02 HOUSE Received, referred to Rules, Ethics & Elections (PRC) -HJ 00969

03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Rules, Ethics & Elections (PRC), Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1276 (Ch. 2002-223)

S 1276 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Appropriations; Silver (Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0385, 2ND ENG/H 0703, H 1257, H 1761, S 0414, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0596, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 1150, CS/CS/S 1286, CS/CS/S 1838) Fla. Health & Human Services Access; creates "Florida Health & Human Services Access Act"; requires AHCA to establish as pilot project comprehensive health & human services eligibility access system; authorizes agency to request federal waivers; authorizes planning, development, & implementation of Florida 211 Network; authorizes AHCA to contract with entity providing prepaid or fixed-sum health care & social services to elderly recipients, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 05/01/2002.

03/22/02 SENATE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -SJ 01558

04/18/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

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- S 1276 (Continued)  
05/01/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-223; See also CS/HB 385 (Ch. 2002-282)
- S 1838 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Children and Families; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Brown-Waite (Similar 2ND ENG/H 0703, Compare S 0414, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0596, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 1150, CS/2ND ENG/S 1276)  
Florida Consumer-Directed Care Act; creates said act; provides legislative findings & intent; requires AHCA & Elderly Affairs to submit plan to Governor & Legislature for reducing nursing-home-bed days funded under Medicaid program; requires AHCA to establish nursing facility preadmission screening program; requires Elderly Affairs Dept. & AHCA to implement nursing home transition program, etc. Amends Chs. 400, 409, 408, 430, 641. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.  
03/11/02 SENATE CS read first time on 03/13/02 -SJ 00517  
03/13/02 SENATE Now in Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services -SJ 00589  
03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1276 (Ch. 2002-223)
- S 0636 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Appropriations; Judiciary; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Burt (Linked CS/CS/S 0638, CS/CS/S 0640, Similar CS/H 0701, Compare H 0699, CS/H 0803)  
Controlled Substances; requires certain health care providers to complete education courses re prescription of controlled substances; requires Legal Affairs Dept. to establish electronic system to monitor prescribing of certain controlled substances; prohibits presigning of blank prescription forms & provides penalties; provides additional requirements for pharmacists re identification of persons to whom controlled substances are dispensed, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.  
03/19/02 HOUSE In Messages  
03/20/02 HOUSE Received, referred to Health Regulation (HCC) -HJ 02249  
03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Health Regulation (HCC), Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 640 (Ch. 2002-81)
- S 0638 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Burt (Linked CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0636, CS/CS/S 0640, Similar H 0699, Compare CS/H 0701, CS/H 0803)  
Public Records/Health Care Records; creates public-records exemption for personal identifying information re patient held by Legal Affairs Dept.; provides exceptions to exemption; provides criminal penalty for violating provisions of public-records

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- S 0638 (Continued)  
exemption; provides for future review & repeal; provides statement of public necessity. Creates 893.066. Effective Date: Contingent.  
03/19/02 HOUSE In Messages  
03/20/02 HOUSE Received, referred to Health Regulation (HCC)  
-HJ 02249  
03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Health Regulation (HCC),  
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 640  
(Ch. 2002-81)
- S 0640 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Judiciary; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Burt (Linked CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0636, CS/CS/S 0638, Similar CS/H 0803, Compare H 0699, CS/H 0701)  
Criminal Offenses; authorizes representative of DOH to appear in criminal proceeding against health care professional to furnish information, make recommendations, or provide other assistance; prohibits practitioner from knowingly assisting person in obtaining controlled substance through fraud or scheme, knowingly prescribing controlled substance for fictitious person, or prescribing controlled substance for purposes of monetary benefit, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.  
03/22/02 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 02115  
04/09/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor  
04/23/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-81
- H 0701 GENERAL BILL/CS by State Administration (SGC); Crow (Linked H 0699, Similar CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0636, Compare CS/H 0803, CS/CS/S 0638, CS/CS/S 0640)  
Controlled Substances; provides specified licensing boards to adopt rules governing prescribing of controlled substances in emergency department settings; requires Legal Affairs Dept. to establish electronic system to monitor prescribing of certain controlled substances; requires certain resident physicians, interns, & fellows to complete educational course in prescribing & pharmacology of controlled substances, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.  
02/28/02 HOUSE Pending review of CS under Rule 6 -HJ 00332  
03/06/02 HOUSE Now in Health Regulation (HCC) -HJ 00332  
03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Health Regulation (HCC),  
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 640  
(Ch. 2002-81)
- H 0699 GENERAL BILL by Crow (Linked CS/H 0701, CS/H 0803, Similar CS/CS/S 0638, Compare CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0636, CS/CS/S 0640)  
Public Records/Health Care Records; exempts certain health care records of Legal Affairs Dept. which relate to health care practitioners or pharmacists, law enforcement officers, or Health Dept.; provides guidelines for use of such information & penalties for violations; provides finding of public necessity. Effective Date: Contingent.  
02/12/02 HOUSE Favorable with 1 amendment(s) by State

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- H 0699 (Continued)  
02/12/02 HOUSE Administration (SGC); YEAS 5 NAYS 0 -HJ 00248  
02/13/02 HOUSE Now in Health Regulation (HCC) -HJ 00248  
03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Health Regulation (HCC),  
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 640  
(Ch. 2002-81)
- H 0803 GENERAL BILL/CS by Council for Healthy Communities; Crow (Linked  
H 0699, Similar CS/CS/S 0640, Compare CS/H 0701, CS/CS/CS/1ST  
ENG/S 0636, CS/CS/S 0638)  
Criminal Offenses/Health Care Prac.; authorizes representative of  
DOH to appear in criminal proceeding against health care  
professional to furnish information, make recommendations, or  
provide other assistance; prohibits practitioner from knowingly  
assisting person in obtaining such substance through fraud or  
scheme, knowingly prescribing such substance for fictitious person,  
etc. Amends 893.13, 921.0022, .187; creates 456.075. Effective  
Date: 07/01/2002.  
03/07/02 HOUSE Pending review of CS under Rule 6 -HJ 00942; Placed  
on Calendar -HJ 00942  
03/22/02 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed,  
refer to CS/CS/SB 640 (Ch. 2002-81)
- S 0638 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Governmental Oversight and Productivity;  
Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Burt (Linked CS/CS/CS/1ST  
ENG/S 0636, CS/CS/S 0640, Similar H 0699, Compare CS/H 0701,  
CS/H 0803)  
Public Records/Health Care Records; creates public-records  
exemption for personal identifying information re patient held by  
Legal Affairs Dept.; provides exceptions to exemption; provides  
criminal penalty for violating provisions of public-records  
exemption; provides for future review & repeal; provides statement  
of public necessity. Creates 893.066. Effective Date: Contingent.  
03/19/02 HOUSE In Messages  
03/20/02 HOUSE Received, referred to Health Regulation (HCC)  
-HJ 02249  
03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Health Regulation (HCC),  
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 640  
(Ch. 2002-81)
- S 0636 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Appropriations; Judiciary; Health,  
Aging and Long-Term Care; Burt (Linked CS/CS/S 0638, CS/CS/S 0640,  
Similar CS/H 0701, Compare H 0699, CS/H 0803)  
Controlled Substances; requires certain health care providers to  
complete education courses re prescription of controlled  
substances; requires Legal Affairs Dept. to establish electronic  
system to monitor prescribing of certain controlled substances;  
prohibits presigning of blank prescription forms & provides  
penalties; provides additional requirements for pharmacists re

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- S 0636 (Continued)  
identification of persons to whom controlled substances are dispensed, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.  
03/19/02 HOUSE In Messages  
03/20/02 HOUSE Received, referred to Health Regulation (HCC) -HJ 02249  
03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Health Regulation (HCC), Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 640 (Ch. 2002-81)
- S 0640 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Judiciary; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Burt (Linked CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0636, CS/CS/S 0638, Similar CS/H 0803, Compare H 0699, CS/H 0701)  
Criminal Offenses; authorizes representative of DOH to appear in criminal proceeding against health care professional to furnish information, make recommendations, or provide other assistance; prohibits practitioner from knowingly assisting person in obtaining controlled substance through fraud or scheme, knowingly prescribing controlled substance for fictitious person, or prescribing controlled substance for purposes of monetary benefit, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.  
03/22/02 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 02115  
04/09/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor  
04/23/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-81
- H 0699 GENERAL BILL by Crow (Linked CS/H 0701, CS/H 0803, Similar CS/CS/S 0638, Compare CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0636, CS/CS/S 0640)  
Public Records/Health Care Records; exempts certain health care records of Legal Affairs Dept. which relate to health care practitioners or pharmacists, law enforcement officers, or Health Dept.; provides guidelines for use of such information & penalties for violations; provides finding of public necessity. Effective Date: Contingent.  
02/12/02 HOUSE Favorable with 1 amendment(s) by State Administration (SGC); YEAS 5 NAYS 0 -HJ 00248  
02/13/02 HOUSE Now in Health Regulation (HCC) -HJ 00248  
03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Health Regulation (HCC), Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 640 (Ch. 2002-81)
- H 0701 GENERAL BILL/CS by State Administration (SGC); Crow (Linked H 0699, Similar CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0636, Compare CS/H 0803, CS/CS/S 0638, CS/CS/S 0640)  
Controlled Substances; provides specified licensing boards to adopt rules governing prescribing of controlled substances in emergency department settings; requires Legal Affairs Dept. to establish electronic system to monitor prescribing of certain controlled substances; requires certain resident physicians, interns, & fellows to complete educational course in prescribing & pharmacology of controlled substances, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

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- H 0701 (Continued)  
 02/28/02 HOUSE Pending review of CS under Rule 6 -HJ 00332  
 03/06/02 HOUSE Now in Health Regulation (HCC) -HJ 00332  
 03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Health Regulation (HCC),  
 Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 640  
 (Ch. 2002-81)
- H 0803 GENERAL BILL/CS by Council for Healthy Communities; Crow (Linked  
 H 0699, Similar CS/CS/S 0640, Compare CS/H 0701, CS/CS/CS/1ST  
 ENG/S 0636, CS/CS/S 0638)  
Criminal Offenses/Health Care Prac.; authorizes representative of  
 DOH to appear in criminal proceeding against health care  
 professional to furnish information, make recommendations, or  
 provide other assistance; prohibits practitioner from knowingly  
 assisting person in obtaining such substance through fraud or  
 scheme, knowingly prescribing such substance for fictitious person,  
 etc. Amends 893.13, 921.0022,.187; creates 456.075. Effective  
 Date: 07/01/2002.  
 03/07/02 HOUSE Pending review of CS under Rule 6 -HJ 00942; Placed  
 on Calendar -HJ 00942  
 03/22/02 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed,  
 refer to CS/CS/SB 640 (Ch. 2002-81)
- S 0640 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Judiciary; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care;  
 Burt (Linked CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0636, CS/CS/S 0638, Similar  
 CS/H 0803, Compare H 0699, CS/H 0701)  
Criminal Offenses; authorizes representative of DOH to appear in  
 criminal proceeding against health care professional to furnish  
 information, make recommendations, or provide other assistance;  
 prohibits practitioner from knowingly assisting person in obtaining  
 controlled substance through fraud or scheme, knowingly prescribing  
 controlled substance for fictitious person, or prescribing  
 controlled substance for purposes of monetary benefit, etc. Amends  
 FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.  
 03/22/02 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 02115  
 04/09/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor  
 04/23/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-81
- S 0636 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Appropriations; Judiciary; Health,  
 Aging and Long-Term Care; Burt (Linked CS/CS/S 0638, CS/CS/S 0640,  
 Similar CS/H 0701, Compare H 0699, CS/H 0803)  
Controlled Substances; requires certain health care providers to  
 complete education courses re prescription of controlled  
 substances; requires Legal Affairs Dept. to establish electronic  
 system to monitor prescribing of certain controlled substances;  
 prohibits presigning of blank prescription forms & provides  
 penalties; provides additional requirements for pharmacists re  
 identification of persons to whom controlled substances are  
 dispensed, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

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## Senate Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care (Continued)

- S 0636 (Continued)  
 03/19/02 HOUSE In Messages  
 03/20/02 HOUSE Received, referred to Health Regulation (HCC)  
 -HJ 02249  
 03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Health Regulation (HCC),  
 Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 640  
 (Ch. 2002-81)
- S 0638 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Governmental Oversight and Productivity;  
 Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Burt (Linked CS/CS/CS/1ST  
 ENG/S 0636, CS/CS/S 0640, Similar H 0699, Compare CS/H 0701,  
 CS/H 0803)  
Public Records/Health Care Records; creates public-records  
 exemption for personal identifying information re patient held by  
 Legal Affairs Dept.; provides exceptions to exemption; provides  
 criminal penalty for violating provisions of public-records  
 exemption; provides for future review & repeal; provides statement  
 of public necessity. Creates 893.066. Effective Date: Contingent.  
 03/19/02 HOUSE In Messages  
 03/20/02 HOUSE Received, referred to Health Regulation (HCC)  
 -HJ 02249  
 03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Health Regulation (HCC),  
 Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 640  
 (Ch. 2002-81)
- H 0803 GENERAL BILL/CS by Council for Healthy Communities; Crow (Linked  
 H 0699, Similar CS/CS/S 0640, Compare CS/H 0701, CS/CS/CS/1ST  
 ENG/S 0636, CS/CS/S 0638)  
Criminal Offenses/Health Care Prac.; authorizes representative of  
 DOH to appear in criminal proceeding against health care  
 professional to furnish information, make recommendations, or  
 provide other assistance; prohibits practitioner from knowingly  
 assisting person in obtaining such substance through fraud or  
 scheme, knowingly prescribing such substance for fictitious person,  
 etc. Amends 893.13, 921.0022,.187; creates 456.075. Effective  
 Date: 07/01/2002.  
 03/07/02 HOUSE Pending review of CS under Rule 6 -HJ 00942; Placed  
 on Calendar -HJ 00942  
 03/22/02 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed,  
 refer to CS/CS/SB 640 (Ch. 2002-81)
- H 0699 GENERAL BILL by Crow (Linked CS/H 0701, CS/H 0803, Similar  
 CS/CS/S 0638, Compare CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0636, CS/CS/S 0640)  
Public Records/Health Care Records; exempts certain health care  
 records of Legal Affairs Dept. which relate to health care  
 practitioners or pharmacists, law enforcement officers, or Health  
 Dept.; provides guidelines for use of such information & penalties  
 for violations; provides finding of public necessity. Effective  
 Date: Contingent.  
 02/12/02 HOUSE Favorable with 1 amendment(s) by State  
 Administration (SGC); YEAS 5 NAYS 0 -HJ 00248

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- H 0699 (Continued)  
02/13/02 HOUSE Now in Health Regulation (HCC) -HJ 00248  
03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Health Regulation (HCC),  
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 640  
(Ch. 2002-81)
- H 0701 GENERAL BILL/CS by State Administration (SGC); Crow (Linked  
H 0699, Similar CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0636, Compare CS/H 0803,  
CS/CS/S 0638, CS/CS/S 0640)  
Controlled Substances; provides specified licensing boards to adopt  
rules governing prescribing of controlled substances in emergency  
department settings; requires Legal Affairs Dept. to establish  
electronic system to monitor prescribing of certain controlled  
substances; requires certain resident physicians, interns, &  
fellows to complete educational course in prescribing &  
pharmacology of controlled substances, etc. Amends FS. Effective  
Date: 07/01/2002.  
02/28/02 HOUSE Pending review of CS under Rule 6 -HJ 00332  
03/06/02 HOUSE Now in Health Regulation (HCC) -HJ 00332  
03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Health Regulation (HCC),  
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 640  
(Ch. 2002-81)
- S 0698 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Banking and Insurance; Health, Aging and  
Long-Term Care; Clary; (CO-SPONSORS) Brown-Waite; Klein; Campbell  
Certificates of Need; provides criteria for review of  
certificate-of-need application for establishment of adult open  
heart surgery program in county in which none of hospitals has  
existing or approved adult open heart surgery program & another  
program is not located nearby. Amends 408.043. Effective Date:  
Upon becoming law.  
02/27/02 SENATE Withdrawn from Appropriations Subcommittee on  
Health and Human Services; Appropriations  
-SJ 00346; Placed on Calendar, on second reading  
03/22/02 SENATE Died on Calendar
- S 0726 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care;  
Latvala; (CO-SPONSORS) Silver; Sanderson; Brown-Waite; Miller;  
Meek; Posey; Peaden; Geller; Dawson; Smith; Wasserman Schultz;  
Wise; Pruitt; Villalobos; Klein; Garcia (Similar H 0849)  
Patient Self-Referral Act/Referrals; amends "Patient Self-Referral  
Act of 1992" to redefine term "referral" by revising list of  
practices that constitute exceptions. Amends 456.053. Effective  
Date: 07/01/2002.  
02/27/02 HOUSE Received, referred to Council for Healthy  
Communities -HJ 00324; On Council agenda-- Council  
for Healthy Communities, 03/01/02, 8:00 am, Reed

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S 0726 \*(Continued)

02/27/02 HOUSE Hall --Temporarily deferred)

03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Council on Council for Healthy Communities, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 46-E (Ch. 2002-389)

H 0849 GENERAL BILL by Rubio; Barreiro; (CO-SPONSORS) Siplin; Lacasa; Mayfield; Arza; Prieguez; Garcia; Berfield (Similar CS/1ST ENG/S 0726)

Patient Self-Referral Act/Referrals; amends "Patient Self-Referral Act of 1992" to redefine term "referral" by revising list of practices that constitute exceptions. Amends 456.053. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

01/21/02 HOUSE Referred to Health Regulation (HCC); Health &amp; Human Services Appropriations (FRC); Council for Healthy Communities

01/22/02 HOUSE Introduced, referred to Health Regulation (HCC); Health &amp; Human Services Appropriations (FRC); Council for Healthy Communities -HJ 00061

03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Health Regulation (HCC), Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 46-E (Ch. 2002-389)

S 0966 \*GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Wasserman Schultz; (CO-SPONSORS) Peaden (Similar 1ST ENG/H 0599)

Anesthesiologist Assistants; requires Medicine & Osteopathic Boards to require medical malpractice insurance or proof of financial responsibility as condition of licensure or licensure renewal for licensed anesthesiologist assistants; revises grounds for which physician may be disciplined for failing to provide adequate supervision; provides performance standards for anesthesiologist assistants & supervising anesthesiologists, etc. Amends Chs. 458, 459, 456.048. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/18/02 SENATE Withdrawn from Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations -SJ 00849; Placed on Calendar, on second reading

03/22/02 SENATE Died on Calendar

H 0599 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Fasano; (CO-SPONSORS) Harrell; Melvin; McGriff (Similar CS/S 0966)

Anesthesiologist Assistants; requires Medicine & Osteopathic Boards to require medical malpractice insurance or proof of financial responsibility as condition of licensure or licensure renewal for licensed anesthesiologist assistants; revises grounds for which physician may be disciplined for failing to provide adequate supervision; provides performance standards for anesthesiologist assistants & supervising anesthesiologists, etc. Amends Chs. 458, 459, 456.048. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

02/20/02 SENATE In Messages

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H 0599 (Continued)

02/26/02 SENATE Received, referred to Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Finance and Taxation; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations -SJ 00326

03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care

S 1150 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/2ND ENG by Criminal Justice; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Saunders; (CO-SPONSORS) Crist (Compare H 1603, 1ST ENG/H 1975, CS/2ND ENG/S 1276, S 1344, CS/S 1632, CS/CS/S 1838) Medicaid Overpayments/Recovery; specifies additional requirements for Medicaid Fraud Control Unit of Legal Affairs Dept. & Medicaid program integrity program; extends whistle-blower protection to employees of Medicaid providers reporting Medicaid fraud or abuse; allows AHCA to take action against licensee in certain circumstances; prescribes additional requirements re provider enrollment; requires that AHCA deny provider's application under certain circumstances, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

03/18/02 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 36 NAYS 0 -SJ 00818

03/18/02 HOUSE In Messages

03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1276 (Ch. 2002-223), HB 59-E (Ch. 2002-400)

H 1603 GENERAL BILL by Machek (Identical S 1344, Compare 1ST ENG/H 1975, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 1150)

Medicaid Payments; revises requirements for distribution of funds recovered from third parties that are liable for making payments for medical care furnished to Medicaid recipients. Amends 409.910. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

02/05/02 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00181

02/11/02 HOUSE Referred to Health Regulation (HCC); Health & Human Services Appropriations (FRC); Council for Healthy Communities -HJ 00220

03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Health Regulation (HCC), Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 59-E (Ch. 2002-400)

H 1975 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Fiscal Responsibility Council; Murman (Similar CS/2ND ENG/S 1108, Compare H 1603, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 1150, S 1344, CS/S 1632, CS/S 1980, S 2356)

Health Care; requires certain collocation & coordination of Medicaid Fraud Control Unit of Legal Affairs Dept. & Medicaid program integrity program; revises procedures & requirements re whistle-blower protection for reporting Medicaid fraud or abuse; provides requirements for contracts for Medicaid behavioral health care services; revises limitation on county contribution to

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- H 1975 (Continued)  
Medicaid costs, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law except as otherwise provided.  
03/07/02 HOUSE Read third time -HJ 00873, -HJ 00949; Amendment pending --Temporarily postponed -HJ 00949  
03/22/02 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 59-E (Ch. 2002-400)
- S 1276 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Appropriations; Silver (Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0385, 2ND ENG/H 0703, H 1257, H 1761, S 0414, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0596, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 1150, CS/CS/S 1286, CS/CS/S 1838) Fla. Health & Human Services Access; creates "Florida Health & Human Services Access Act"; requires AHCA to establish as pilot project comprehensive health & human services eligibility access system; authorizes agency to request federal waivers; authorizes planning, development, & implementation of Florida 211 Network; authorizes AHCA to contract with entity providing prepaid or fixed-sum health care & social services to elderly recipients, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 05/01/2002.  
03/22/02 SENATE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -SJ 01558  
04/18/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor  
05/01/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-223; See also CS/HB 385 (Ch. 2002-282)
- S 1344 GENERAL BILL by Mitchell; (CO-SPONSORS) Sanderson (Identical H 1603, Compare 1ST ENG/H 1975, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 1150) Medicaid Payments; revises requirements for distribution of funds recovered from third parties that are liable for making payments for medical care furnished to Medicaid recipients. Amends 409.910. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.  
02/12/02 SENATE Favorable by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; YEAS 9 NAYS 0 -SJ 00238  
02/13/02 SENATE Now in Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs -SJ 00238  
03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 59-E (Ch. 2002-400)
- S 1632 GENERAL BILL/CS by Judiciary; Saunders; (CO-SPONSORS) Crist (Compare 1ST ENG/H 1975, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 1150) Medicaid Fraud/Attorney General; clarifies duties of Attorney General re statewide program to control Medicaid fraud; authorizes Attorney General to seek civil remedies under Florida False Claims Act & other laws; authorizes Attorney General to refer certain cases of overpayment & suspected abusive activities to AHCA. Amends 409.920. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.  
03/15/02 HOUSE In Messages  
03/20/02 HOUSE Received, referred to Rules, Ethics & Elections (PRC) -HJ 02251  
03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Rules, Ethics & Elections (PRC), Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB

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S 1632 (Continued)

03/22/02 HOUSE 59-E (Ch. 2002-400)

S 1838 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Children and Families; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Brown-Waite (Similar 2ND ENG/H 0703, Compare S 0414, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0596, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 1150, CS/2ND ENG/S 1276)

Florida Consumer-Directed Care Act; creates said act; provides legislative findings & intent; requires AHCA & Elderly Affairs to submit plan to Governor & Legislature for reducing nursing-home-bed days funded under Medicaid program; requires AHCA to establish nursing facility preadmission screening program; requires Elderly Affairs Dept. & AHCA to implement nursing home transition program, etc. Amends Chs. 400, 409, 408, 430, 641. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/11/02 SENATE CS read first time on 03/13/02 -SJ 00517

03/13/02 SENATE Now in Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services -SJ 00589

03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1276 (Ch. 2002-223)

S 1216 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Saunders (Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0507, H 0589, CS/H 1217, H 1579, CS/CS/S 1490)

Emergencies & Disasters/Response; provides requirement for instruction of certain health care licensees on conditions caused by nuclear, biological, & chemical terrorism, as condition of initial licensure, &, in lieu of requirement for instruction on HIV & AIDS, as condition of relicensure; provides continuing education credits to health care practitioners for certain life support training, etc. Amends Chs. 381, 401, 456, 458, 459. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

03/14/02 SENATE Withdrawn from Governmental Oversight and Productivity -SJ 00589; Placed on Calendar, on second reading

03/22/02 SENATE Died on Calendar

H 0507 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Council for Healthy Communities; Fasano; Farkas; (CO-SPONSORS) Fiorentino; Sobel; Slosberg; Wilson; Brutus; Gelber; Rich; Joyner (Compare CS/1ST ENG/H 0137, CS/H 0293, H 0589, H 0597, CS/CS/H 0879, CS/H 1217, H 1233, 2ND ENG/H 1375, H 1405, CS/H 1415, H 1579, H 1797, H 2007, S 0146, CS/1ST ENG/S 0268, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0362, CS/CS/S 0370, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0484, CS/2ND ENG/S 1108, CS/S 1216, CS/1ST ENG/S 1262, CS/1ST ENG/S 1264, CS/S 1380, CS/CS/S 1490, CS/S 1950, CS/2ND ENG/S 2048, S 2064, S 2128, CS/S 2226, S 2298, S 2388, S 2462)

Emergencies & Disasters/Response; transfers to Health Dept. powers, duties, functions, & assets that relate to consumer complaint

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- H 0507 (Continued)  
 services, investigations, & prosecutorial services performed by AHCA under contract with department; provides additional penalties to be imposed on certain health care practitioners re notice to patients concerning availability & access to medical records; specifies terms under which public health emergency is declared, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$50,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2002 except as otherwise provided.  
 03/22/02 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 36 NAYS 1 -SJ 02079  
 03/22/02 HOUSE In returning messages; Died in returning Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 1405 (Ch. 2002-254), CS/SB 268 (Ch. 2002-195), CS/SB 1262 (Ch. 2002-269), CS/SB 2048 (Ch. 2002-35), HB 59-E (Ch. 2002-400)
- H 0589 GENERAL BILL by Berfield; Murman; (CO-SPONSORS) Negron; Sobel (Similar CS/CS/S 1490, Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0507, CS/H 1217, CS/CS/S 0370, CS/S 1216, CS/S 1950)  
Emergency Services & Care/Health; revises definitions re emergency services & care provided by hospitals & related facilities; revises provisions re hospital service capability & access to emergency services & care; establishes program under agency to reimburse health care facilities & practitioners for cost of uncompensated emergency services & care; provides requirements for health insurance policy coverage of said services & care, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$50,000,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.  
 03/07/02 HOUSE Withdrawn from Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC) -HJ 00862; Now in Council for Healthy Communities
- H 1217 03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Council on Council for Healthy Communities  
 GENERAL BILL/CS by Council for Healthy Communities; Health Regulation (HCC); Farkas; (CO-SPONSORS) Sobel; Fiorentino; Johnson; Alexander; Ritter; Harrell; Wishner; Siplin; Rubio; Kravitz; Hogan (Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0507, H 0589, CS/CS/S 0370, CS/S 1216, CS/CS/S 1490, CS/S 1950, S 2064, S 2388, S 2462)  
Health Care/Prof. Responsibility; transfers to Health Dept. powers, duties, functions, & assets that relate to consumer complaint services, investigations, & prosecutorial services performed by AHCA under contract with dept.; provides additional conditions for impaired practitioners to enroll in treatment program as alternative to discipline; provides continuing education credits to health care practitioners for certain life support training, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$50,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2002 except as otherwise provided.  
 03/15/02 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on Calendar  
 03/22/02 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 59-E (Ch. 2002-400)
- H 1579 GENERAL BILL by Green; (CO-SPONSORS) Goodlette (Similar CS/1ST ENG/S 1262, CS/1ST ENG/S 1264, Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0507,

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- H 1579 (Continued)  
CS/S 1216)  
Public Health; revises rulemaking authority of DOH re its power to impose quarantine; provides for rules requiring vaccination for communicable disease; defines terms "public health advisory" & "public health emergency"; specifies terms under which public health emergency is declared; provides for consultation for, & notice & duration of, declaration of public health emergency, etc. Amends 381.0011,.00315. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.  
03/05/02 HOUSE Withdrawn from Judicial Oversight (SGC) -HJ 00372;  
Now in Council for Healthy Communities  
03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Council on Council for Healthy Communities,  
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1262  
(Ch. 2002-269)
- S 1490 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Appropriations; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Campbell (Similar H 0589, Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0507, CS/H 1217, CS/CS/S 0370, CS/S 1216, CS/S 1950)  
Emergency Services & Care/Health; requires AHCA to adopt rules governing conduct of inspections or investigations; revises provisions governing internal risk-management program; redefines term "advanced life support" & "basic life support"; revises requirements for providing emergency services & care under Medicaid managed care plans & MediPass; provides requirements for health insurance policy coverage of hospital emergency services & care, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.  
03/22/02 SENATE CS passed; YEAS 36 NAYS 0 -SJ 02001  
03/22/02 HOUSE In Messages; Died in Messages
- S 1238 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Jones (Compare H 1169)  
Displaced Workers/Health Coverage; authorizes AHCA to make payments for medical assistance & related services & for subsidies for certain health insurance coverage for specified unemployed persons & their families; provides for determination of eligibility; provides finding of important state interest; provides expiration date. Effective Date: Upon becoming law except as otherwise provided.  
02/05/02 SENATE CS read first time on 02/11/02 -SJ 00236  
02/07/02 SENATE Now in Children and Families -SJ 00225  
03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Children and Families
- H 1169 GENERAL BILL by Frankel (Compare CS/S 1238)  
Displaced Low-income Workers; authorizes CFS Dept. to provide Medicaid eligibility by rule to certain unemployed persons; authorizes state to provide COBRA insurance premium subsidy to certain unemployed persons; provides for future expiration. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.  
01/30/02 HOUSE Introduced, referred to Child & Family Security

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H 1169 (Continued)

01/30/02 HOUSE (HCC); Health &amp; Human Services Appropriations (FRC); Council for Healthy Communities -HJ 00123

02/08/02 HOUSE On Committee agenda-- Child &amp; Family Security (HCC), 02/12/02, 10:15 am, 24-H --Temporarily deferred

03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Child &amp; Family Security (HCC)

S 1250 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Education; Miller (Similar CS/1ST ENG/H 0355, Compare CS/CS/CS/2ND ENG/H 0519)

Public School Volunteer Health Care; creates public school volunteer health care practitioner program; provides purpose & definition; provides for waiver of biennial active license renewal fees & fulfillment of continuing education hours for specified health care practitioners who provide their services, without compensation, in public schools; provides program & eligibility requirements; provides immunity from liability & workers' compensation protection, etc. Creates 381.00593. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

03/19/02 SENATE Withdrawn from Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations -SJ 01025; Placed on Calendar, on second reading

03/22/02 SENATE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/CS/HB 519 (Ch. 2002-230)

H 0355 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by General Education (LLC); Cusack; Bendross-Mindingall; Brutus; Richardson; (CO-SPONSORS) Gannon; Rubio; Lerner; Rich; Wiles; Kallinger; Joyner; Bilirakis; Wishner; Benson; Holloway; Bullard (Similar CS/CS/S 1250, Compare CS/CS/CS/2ND ENG/H 0519)

Public School Volunteer Health Care; creates public school volunteer health care practitioner program; provides purpose & definition; provides for waiver of biennial active license renewal fees & fulfillment of portion of continuing education hrs. for specified health care practitioners who provide their services, without compensation, in public schools; provides program & eligibility requirements, etc. Creates 381.00593. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

03/19/02 SENATE In Messages

03/21/02 SENATE Received, referred to Education; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations -SJ 01487

03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Education, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/CS/HB 519 (Ch. 2002-230)

H 0519 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/CS/2ND ENG by Council for Lifelong Learning; Health & Human Services Appropriations (FRC); Colleges &

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H 0519 (Continued)

Universities (LLC); Murman; Fasano; Green; Harrell; (CO-SPONSORS) Greenstein; Lerner; Justice; Spratt; Clarke; Harrington; Kilmer; Waters; Mahon; McGriff; Cusack; Bowen; Maygarden; Garcia; Gannon; Farkas; Needelman; Rich; Atwater; Flanagan; Sobel; Holloway; Lynn; Davis; Slosberg; Bucher; Wilson; Richardson; Brutus; Gelber; Joyner; Fields (Compare CS/1ST ENG/H 0355, CS/CS/S 1250, CS/1ST ENG/S 1496, CS/S 1618, S 1942)

Nursing Shortage Solution Act; amends provision re Nursing Student Loan Forgiveness Program to revise provisions re loan repayment; creates Sunshine Workforce Solutions Grant Program; revises provisions re eligibility for licensure by endorsement to practice professional or practical nursing; provides exemption from licensure for nurse licensed in territory of U.S.; creates public school volunteer health care practitioner program, etc. Amends Chs. 464, 240, 381. Effective Date: 05/03/2002.

03/22/02 HOUSE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -HJ 03110

04/24/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

05/03/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-230

S 1262 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Brown-Waite (Identical CS/1ST ENG/S 1264, Similar H 1579, Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0507)

Public Health Emergency; revises rulemaking authority of Health Dept. re its power to impose quarantine, including requiring vaccination; specifies terms under which public health emergency is declared; provides for consultation for, notice, & duration of declaration of public health emergency; provides immunity from civil damages under Good Samaritan Act for actions taken in response to situations during declared emergency, etc. Amends 381.0011, .00315, 768.13. Effective Date: 05/23/2002.

03/22/02 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 02115

05/14/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

05/23/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-269

S 1264 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Brown-Waite (Identical CS/1ST ENG/S 1262, Similar H 1579, Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0507)

Public Health Emergency; revises rulemaking authority of Health Dept. re its power to impose quarantine, including requiring vaccination; specifies terms under which public health emergency is declared; provides for consultation for, notice, & duration of declaration of public health emergency; provides immunity from civil damages under Good Samaritan Act for actions taken in response to situations during declared emergency, etc. Amends 381.0011, .00315, 768.13. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

03/18/02 HOUSE In Messages; Received, placed on Calendar -HJ 01972

03/22/02 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed,

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- S 1264 (Continued)  
03/22/02 HOUSE refer to CS/SB 1262 (Ch. 2002-269)
- H 1579 GENERAL BILL by Green; (CO-SPONSORS) Goodlette (Similar CS/1ST ENG/S 1262, CS/1ST ENG/S 1264, Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0507, CS/S 1216)  
Public Health; revises rulemaking authority of DOH re its power to impose quarantine; provides for rules requiring vaccination for communicable disease; defines terms "public health advisory" & "public health emergency"; specifies terms under which public health emergency is declared; provides for consultation for, & notice & duration of, declaration of public health emergency, etc. Amends 381.0011, .00315. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.  
03/05/02 HOUSE Withdrawn from Judicial Oversight (SGC) -HJ 00372; Now in Council for Healthy Communities  
03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Council on Council for Healthy Communities, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1262 (Ch. 2002-269)
- H 0507 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Council for Healthy Communities; Fasano; Farkas; (CO-SPONSORS) Fiorentino; Sobel; Slosberg; Wilson; Brutus; Gelber; Rich; Joyner (Compare CS/1ST ENG/H 0137, CS/H 0293, H 0589, H 0597, CS/CS/H 0879, CS/H 1217, H 1233, 2ND ENG/H 1375, H 1405, CS/H 1415, H 1579, H 1797, H 2007, S 0146, CS/1ST ENG/S 0268, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0362, CS/CS/S 0370, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0484, CS/2ND ENG/S 1108, CS/S 1216, CS/1ST ENG/S 1262, CS/1ST ENG/S 1264, CS/S 1380, CS/CS/S 1490, CS/S 1950, CS/2ND ENG/S 2048, S 2064, S 2128, CS/S 2226, S 2298, S 2388, S 2462)  
Emergencies & Disasters/Response; transfers to Health Dept. powers, duties, functions, & assets that relate to consumer complaint services, investigations, & prosecutorial services performed by AHCA under contract with department; provides additional penalties to be imposed on certain health care practitioners re notice to patients concerning availability & access to medical records; specifies terms under which public health emergency is declared, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$50,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2002 except as otherwise provided.  
03/22/02 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 36 NAYS 1 -SJ 02079  
03/22/02 HOUSE In returning messages; Died in returning Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 1405 (Ch. 2002-254), CS/SB 268 (Ch. 2002-195), CS/SB 1262 (Ch. 2002-269), CS/SB 2048 (Ch. 2002-35), HB 59-E (Ch. 2002-400)
- S 1264 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Brown-Waite (Identical CS/1ST ENG/S 1262, Similar H 1579, Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0507)  
Public Health Emergency; revises rulemaking authority of Health Dept. re its power to impose quarantine, including requiring

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vaccination; specifies terms under which public health emergency is declared; provides for consultation for, notice, & duration of declaration of public health emergency; provides immunity from civil damages under Good Samaritan Act for actions taken in response to situations during declared emergency, etc. Amends 381.0011,.00315, 768.13. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.  
 03/18/02 HOUSE In Messages; Received, placed on Calendar -HJ 01972  
 03/22/02 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1262 (Ch. 2002-269)

S 1262

GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Brown-Waite (Identical CS/1ST ENG/S 1264, Similar H 1579, Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0507)  
Public Health Emergency; revises rulemaking authority of Health Dept. re its power to impose quarantine, including requiring vaccination; specifies terms under which public health emergency is declared; provides for consultation for, notice, & duration of declaration of public health emergency; provides immunity from civil damages under Good Samaritan Act for actions taken in response to situations during declared emergency, etc. Amends 381.0011,.00315, 768.13. Effective Date: 05/23/2002.

03/22/02 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 02115

05/14/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

05/23/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-269

H 1579

GENERAL BILL by Green; (CO-SPONSORS) Goodlette (Similar CS/1ST ENG/S 1262, CS/1ST ENG/S 1264, Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0507, CS/S 1216)

Public Health; revises rulemaking authority of DOH re its power to impose quarantine; provides for rules requiring vaccination for communicable disease; defines terms "public health advisory" & "public health emergency"; specifies terms under which public health emergency is declared; provides for consultation for, & notice & duration of, declaration of public health emergency, etc. Amends 381.0011,.00315. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

03/05/02 HOUSE Withdrawn from Judicial Oversight (SGC) -HJ 00372;  
 Now in Council for Healthy Communities

03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Council on Council for Healthy Communities, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1262 (Ch. 2002-269)

H 0507

GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Council for Healthy Communities; Fasano; Farkas; (CO-SPONSORS) Fiorentino; Sobel; Slosberg; Wilson; Brutus; Gelber; Rich; Joyner (Compare CS/1ST ENG/H 0137, CS/H 0293, H 0589, H 0597, CS/CS/H 0879, CS/H 1217, H 1233, 2ND ENG/H 1375, H 1405, CS/H 1415, H 1579, H 1797, H 2007, S 0146, CS/1ST ENG/S 0268, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0362, CS/CS/S 0370, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0484, CS/2ND ENG/S 1108, CS/S 1216, CS/1ST ENG/S 1262, CS/1ST ENG/S 1264, CS/S 1380, CS/CS/S 1490, CS/S 1950, CS/2ND ENG/S 2048, S 2064, S 2128, CS/S 2226, S 2298, S 2388, S 2462)

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H 0507 (Continued)

Emergencies & Disasters/Response; transfers to Health Dept. powers, duties, functions, & assets that relate to consumer complaint services, investigations, & prosecutorial services performed by AHCA under contract with department; provides additional penalties to be imposed on certain health care practitioners re notice to patients concerning availability & access to medical records; specifies terms under which public health emergency is declared, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$50,000. Effective Date:

07/01/2002 except as otherwise provided.

03/22/02 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 36 NAYS 1 -SJ 02079

03/22/02 HOUSE In returning messages; Died in returning Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 1405 (Ch. 2002-254), CS/SB 268 (Ch. 2002-195), CS/SB 1262 (Ch. 2002-269), CS/SB 2048 (Ch. 2002-35), HB 59-E (Ch. 2002-400)

S 1286 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Banking and Insurance; Latvala; King; Peaden; (CO-SPONSORS) Campbell (Similar H 1257, Compare 1ST ENG/H 0111, CS/2ND ENG/H 0385, CS/2ND ENG/H 0913, S 1008, S 1134, CS/2ND ENG/S 1276)

Health Insurance; (THIS BILL COMBINES S1286,1134,1008) provides legislative findings & intent; provides for pilot program for health flex plans for certain uninsured persons; authorizes AHCA & Insurance Dept. to adopt rules; requires that certain group certificates for health insurance coverage be subject to requirements for individual health insurance policies; revises grounds for disapproval of insurance policy forms, etc. Amends Ch. 627, 641.31,.3111. Effective Date: 10/01/2002.

03/20/02 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 01025;

Substituted CS/HB 913 (Died in House Returning Messages) -SJ 01179; Laid on Table,

Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 385 (Ch. 2002-282), CS/SB 1276 (Ch. 2002-223), SB 46-E (Ch. 2002-389)

H 1257 GENERAL BILL by Berfield; (CO-SPONSORS) Lynn (Similar CS/CS/S 1286, Compare 1ST ENG/H 0111, CS/2ND ENG/H 0385, CS/2ND ENG/H 0913, S 1008, S 1134, CS/2ND ENG/S 1276)

Health Insurance; provides legislative findings & intent; provides for pilot program for health flex plans for certain uninsured persons; requires certain group certificates for health insurance coverage be subject to requirements for individual health insurance policies; revises grounds for disapproval of insurance policy forms; revises criteria for reinsuring individuals under individual health reinsurance program, etc. Amends Ch. 627, 641.31,.3111. Effective Date: 10/01/2002.

01/30/02 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00128

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- H 1257 (Continued)  
 02/05/02 HOUSE Referred to Insurance (CCC); Health Regulation (HCC); Health & Human Services Appropriations (FRC); Council for Competitive Commerce -HJ 00187  
 03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Insurance (CCC), Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 385 (Ch. 2002-282), CS/SB 1276 (Ch. 2002-223), SB 46-E (Ch. 2002-389)
- H 0111 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Murman; Fasano; (CO-SPONSORS) Lerner; Seiler; Hogan; Mahon; Green; Mayfield; Waters; Bendross-Mindingall; Wilson; Joyner; Holloway; Bullard; Harrell (Similar S 1008, Compare H 1257, CS/CS/S 1286)  
Health Flex Plans; provides for pilot program for health flex plans for certain uninsured persons; exempts approved health flex plans from certain regulatory requirements; provides criteria for eligibility to enroll in such plan; requires health flex plan entities to maintain certain records; provides requirements for denial, nonrenewal, or cancellation of coverage; requires evaluation & report; provides for subsequent repeal, etc.  
 Effective Date: 07/01/2002.  
 03/12/02 SENATE In Messages  
 03/15/02 SENATE Received, referred to Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government; Appropriations -SJ 00806  
 03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 46-E (Ch. 2002-389)
- H 0385 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Council for Competitive Commerce; Lee; (CO-SPONSORS) Siplin; Smith (Similar CS/2ND ENG/S 1822, Compare H 0109, CS/CS/CS/2ND ENG/H 0193, CS/1ST ENG/H 0393, CS/CS/H 0679, CS/H 1133, H 1257, CS/H 1361, CS/1ST ENG/H 1373, H 1625, 1ST ENG/H 2021, CS/CS/S 0320, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0432, CS/S 0704, CS/2ND ENG/S 1276, CS/CS/S 1286, CS/2ND ENG/S 1418, S 1784, S 1904, CS/1ST ENG/S 2192, CS/S 2232)  
Insurance/Minority-Owned; extends term of exemption from taxes & assessments on minority-owned property & casualty insurers; redefines term "covered policy"; revises required amounts of insurance required for certain for-hire passenger transportation vehicles; exempts group health insurance policies insuring groups of certain size from rate-filing requirements; authorizes dept. to adopt by rule certain provisions of Long-Term Care Insurance Model Regulation, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2002 except as otherwise provided.  
 03/22/02 HOUSE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -HJ 03150  
 05/13/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor  
 05/29/02 Became Law without Governor's Signature;  
 Chapter No. 2002-282; See also CS/CS/SB 432 (Ch. 2002-25), CS/SB 1276 (Ch. 2002-223), CS/SB 1418

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- H 0385 (Continued)  
05/29/02 (Ch. 2002-240), CS/SB 2192 (Ch. 2002-247)
- H 0913 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Council for Competitive Commerce; Farkas; (CO-SPONSORS) Kravitz; Lynn; Harper; Holloway; Sorensen (Similar S 1134, Compare H 1257, CS/CS/S 1286)  
Health Care; authorizes carriers to separate certain experience groups for certain purposes; provides limitations for rates under alternative modified community rating under certain circumstances; requires Insurance Commissioner to appoint health benefit plan committee to modify standard, basic, & flexible health benefit plans; includes coverage for diabetes treatment in certain plans, policies, & contracts, etc. Amends 627.6699. Effective Date: 10/01/2002.  
03/22/02 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 30 NAYS 7 -SJ 02003  
03/22/02 HOUSE In returning messages; Died in returning Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 46-E (Ch. 2002-389)
- S 1008 GENERAL BILL by Peaden (Similar 1ST ENG/H 0111, Compare H 1257, CS/CS/S 1286)  
Health Flex Plans; (THIS BILL COMBINED IN CS/S1286,1134,1008) provides legislative findings & intent; provides for pilot program for health flex plans for certain uninsured persons; provides criteria for approval of such plans; delineates responsibilities of AHCA & DOI; exempts approved health flex plans from certain regulatory requirements; provides criteria for eligibility to enroll in such plan, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.  
02/25/02 SENATE CS combines this bill with 1286 & 1134; CS by Banking and Insurance; YEAS 10 NAYS 0 -SJ 00348; Original bill laid on Table, refer to combined CS/CS/SB 1286 (Laid on Table in Senate), SB 46-E (Ch. 2002-389)
- S 1134 GENERAL BILL by King; (CO-SPONSORS) Peaden (Similar CS/2ND ENG/H 0913, Compare H 1257, CS/CS/S 1286)  
Health Care; (THIS BILL COMBINED IN CS/S1286,1134,1008) authorizes carriers to separate certain experience groups for certain purposes; provides limitations for rates under alternative modified community rating under certain circumstances; requires Insurance Commissioner to appoint health benefit plan committee to modify standard, basic, & flexible health benefit plans; revises disclosure that carrier must make to small employer, etc. Amends 627.6699. Effective Date: 10/01/2002.  
02/25/02 SENATE CS combines this bill with 1286 & 1008; CS by Banking and Insurance; YEAS 10 NAYS 0 -SJ 00348; Original bill laid on Table, refer to combined CS/CS/SB 1286 (Laid on Table in Senate), SB 46-E (Ch. 2002-389)
- S 1276 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Appropriations; Silver (Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0385, 2ND ENG/H 0703, H 1257, H 1761, S 0414, CS/CS/1ST

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S 1276 (Continued)

ENG/S 0596, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 1150, CS/CS/S 1286, CS/CS/S 1838)  
Fla. Health & Human Services Access; creates "Florida Health & Human Services Access Act"; requires AHCA to establish as pilot project comprehensive health & human services eligibility access system; authorizes agency to request federal waivers; authorizes planning, development, & implementation of Florida 211 Network; authorizes AHCA to contract with entity providing prepaid or fixed-sum health care & social services to elderly recipients, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 05/01/2002.

03/22/02 SENATE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -SJ 01558

04/18/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

05/01/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-223; See also CS/HB 385 (Ch. 2002-282)

S 1374 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs; Mitchell; (CO-SPONSORS) Lawson (Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 1343, H 1549) Small Counties; allows small counties having specified population to levy indigent care surtax; provides procedures; provides uses of surtax; provides maximum tax rate; authorizes municipalities within small counties to use revenues from local option fuel tax to fund infrastructure projects that are consistent with comprehensive plan. Amends 212.055, 336.025. Effective Date: 10/01/2002.

03/11/02 SENATE Favorable by- Finance and Taxation; YEAS 6

NAYS 0 -SJ 00511; Placed on Calendar, on second reading -SJ 00511

03/22/02 SENATE Died on Calendar

H 1343 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Council for Competitive Commerce; Stansel; (CO-SPONSORS) Bean; Brown; Spratt; Kilmer; Kendrick (Compare CS/3RD ENG/H 1681, CS/CS/S 1374, CS/CS/S 2286) Small County Technical Assistance; revises language re Florida Interlocal Cooperation Act of 1969; revises legislative findings; provides criteria for contracts between Agriculture Commissioner & Small County Technical Assistance Prog. providers; authorizes Comm. to award contracts to provide assistance to small counties; provides for certain municipalities within small counties to use gas tax revenues for certain infrastructure projects, etc. Amends 163.01,.05, 336.025. Appropriation. Effective Date: 06/30/2002.

03/20/02 SENATE In Messages

03/22/02 SENATE Received, referred to Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs; Finance and Taxation -SJ 02113; Died in Committee on Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 1681 (Ch. 2002-295), HB 3-E (Ch. 2002-404)

H 1549 GENERAL BILL by Stansel (Compare CS/CS/S 1374)

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H 1549 (Continued)

Health Care/Indigent Care Surtax; allows small counties having specified population to levy indigent care surtax; provides procedures; provides uses of surtax; provides maximum tax rate. Amends 212.055. Effective Date: 10/01/2002.

02/21/02 HOUSE Favorable with 1 amendment(s) by Health Promotion (HCC); YEAS 8 NAYS 0 -HJ 00291

02/22/02 HOUSE Now in Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC) -HJ 00291

03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC)

S 1380 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Meek (Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0507)

Terrorism Response Training; authorizes substitution of specified number of hours of qualifying terrorism response training for like number of hours of training required for certification of emergency medical technicians, paramedics, firefighters, law enforcement officers, correctional officers, & correctional probation officers. Amends 401.2715, 633.35, 943.135. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

02/05/02 SENATE CS read first time on 02/11/02 -SJ 00236

02/07/02 SENATE Placed on Calendar, on second reading -SJ 00225

03/22/02 SENATE Died on Calendar

H 0507

GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Council for Healthy Communities; Fasano; Farkas; (CO-SPONSORS) Fiorentino; Sobel; Slosberg; Wilson; Brutus; Gelber; Rich; Joyner (Compare CS/1ST ENG/H 0137, CS/H 0293, H 0589, H 0597, CS/CS/H 0879, CS/H 1217, H 1233, 2ND ENG/H 1375, H 1405, CS/H 1415, H 1579, H 1797, H 2007, S 0146, CS/1ST ENG/S 0268, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0362, CS/CS/S 0370, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0484, CS/2ND ENG/S 1108, CS/S 1216, CS/1ST ENG/S 1262, CS/1ST ENG/S 1264, CS/S 1380, CS/CS/S 1490, CS/S 1950, CS/2ND ENG/S 2048, S 2064, S 2128, CS/S 2226, S 2298, S 2388, S 2462)

Emergencies & Disasters/Response; transfers to Health Dept. powers, duties, functions, & assets that relate to consumer complaint services, investigations, & prosecutorial services performed by AHCA under contract with department; provides additional penalties to be imposed on certain health care practitioners re notice to patients concerning availability & access to medical records; specifies terms under which public health emergency is declared, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$50,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2002 except as otherwise provided.

03/22/02 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 36 NAYS 1 -SJ 02079

03/22/02 HOUSE In returning messages; Died in returning Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 1405 (Ch. 2002-254), CS/SB 268 (Ch. 2002-195), CS/SB 1262 (Ch. 2002-269), CS/SB 2048 (Ch. 2002-35), HB 59-E (Ch. 2002-400)



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S 1412 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Banking and Insurance; Posey; (CO-SPONSORS) Peaden; Crist (Similar CS/CS/1ST ENG/H 0321)

Prescription Drug Claim ID Cards; provides intent; requires certain entities to provide benefits identification card by date certain for specified purposes under certain circumstances; provides exception; specifies required information; provides for temporary stickers for annual renewal cards. Creates 627.4302. Effective Date: 10/01/2002.

03/18/02 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 00850

04/30/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

05/13/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-245

H 0321 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Council for Healthy Communities; Insurance (CCC); Brown; (CO-SPONSORS) Berfield; Negron; Evers; Benson; Lynn; Sobel (Similar CS/CS/S 1412)

Prescription Drug Claim ID Cards; provides intent; requires certain entities to provide benefits identification card by date certain for certain purposes under certain circumstances; provides exception; specifies required information; provides for temporary stickers for annual renewal cards. Creates 627.4302. Effective Date: 10/01/2002.

03/12/02 HOUSE Amendment(s) adopted -HJ 01014

03/18/02 HOUSE Substituted CS/CS/SB 1412; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 1412 (Ch. 2002-245) -HJ 02033

S 1490 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Appropriations; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Campbell (Similar H 0589, Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0507, CS/H 1217, CS/CS/S 0370, CS/S 1216, CS/S 1950)

Emergency Services & Care/Health; requires AHCA to adopt rules governing conduct of inspections or investigations; revises provisions governing internal risk-management program; redefines term "advanced life support" & "basic life support"; revises requirements for providing emergency services & care under Medicaid managed care plans & MediPass; provides requirements for health insurance policy coverage of hospital emergency services & care, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/22/02 SENATE CS passed; YEAS 36 NAYS 0 -SJ 02001

03/22/02 HOUSE In Messages; Died in Messages

H 0589 GENERAL BILL by Berfield; Murman; (CO-SPONSORS) Negron; Sobel (Similar CS/CS/S 1490, Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0507, CS/H 1217, CS/CS/S 0370, CS/S 1216, CS/S 1950)

Emergency Services & Care/Health; revises definitions re emergency services & care provided by hospitals & related facilities; revises provisions re hospital service capability & access to emergency services & care; establishes program under agency to reimburse health care facilities & practitioners for cost of uncompensated

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## Senate Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care (Continued)

- H 0589 (Continued)  
emergency services & care; provides requirements for health insurance policy coverage of said services & care, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$50,000,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.  
03/07/02 HOUSE Withdrawn from Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC)  
-HJ 00862; Now in Council for Healthy Communities
- H 0507 03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Council on Council for Healthy Communities  
GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Council for Healthy Communities; Fasano; Farkas; (CO-SPONSORS) Fiorentino; Sobel; Slosberg; Wilson; Brutus; Gelber; Rich; Joyner (Compare CS/1ST ENG/H 0137, CS/H 0293, H 0589, H 0597, CS/CS/H 0879, CS/H 1217, H 1233, 2ND ENG/H 1375, H 1405, CS/H 1415, H 1579, H 1797, H 2007, S 0146, CS/1ST ENG/S 0268, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0362, CS/CS/S 0370, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0484, CS/2ND ENG/S 1108, CS/S 1216, CS/1ST ENG/S 1262, CS/1ST ENG/S 1264, CS/S 1380, CS/CS/S 1490, CS/S 1950, CS/2ND ENG/S 2048, S 2064, S 2128, CS/S 2226, S 2298, S 2388, S 2462)  
Emergencies & Disasters/Response; transfers to Health Dept. powers, duties, functions, & assets that relate to consumer complaint services, investigations, & prosecutorial services performed by AHCA under contract with department; provides additional penalties to be imposed on certain health care practitioners re notice to patients concerning availability & access to medical records; specifies terms under which public health emergency is declared, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$50,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2002 except as otherwise provided.  
03/22/02 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 36 NAYS 1 -SJ 02079  
03/22/02 HOUSE In returning messages; Died in returning Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 1405 (Ch. 2002-254), CS/SB 268 (Ch. 2002-195), CS/SB 1262 (Ch. 2002-269), CS/SB 2048 (Ch. 2002-35), HB 59-E (Ch. 2002-400)
- H 1217 GENERAL BILL/CS by Council for Healthy Communities; Health Regulation (HCC); Farkas; (CO-SPONSORS) Sobel; Fiorentino; Johnson; Alexander; Ritter; Harrell; Wishner; Siplin; Rubio; Kravitz; Hogan (Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0507, H 0589, CS/CS/S 0370, CS/S 1216, CS/CS/S 1490, CS/S 1950, S 2064, S 2388, S 2462)  
Health Care/Prof. Responsibility; transfers to Health Dept. powers, duties, functions, & assets that relate to consumer complaint services, investigations, & prosecutorial services performed by AHCA under contract with dept.; provides additional conditions for impaired practitioners to enroll in treatment program as alternative to discipline; provides continuing education credits to health care practitioners for certain life support training, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$50,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2002 except as otherwise provided.  
03/15/02 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on Calendar  
03/22/02 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed,

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- H 1217 (Continued)  
03/22/02 HOUSE refer to HB 59-E (Ch. 2002-400)
- S 0370 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Appropriations; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Saunders; (CO-SPONSORS) Miller (Similar CS/S 1950, Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0507, H 0589, CS/H 1217, CS/CS/S 1490, S 2064, S 2462) Health Regulation; terminates standardized credentialing program for health care practitioners; requires accreditation of physician offices in which surgery is performed; exempts certain persons from radiologic technologist certification & provides certain training requirements for such exemption; defines term "medically unnecessary procedure"; requires AHCA to adopt rules governing conduct of inspections or investigations, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2002 except as otherwise provided.  
03/22/02 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 01482; Substituted CS/HB 507 (Died in House Returning Messages) -SJ 02043; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 59-E (Ch. 2002-400)
- S 1216 GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Saunders (Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0507, H 0589, CS/H 1217, H 1579, CS/CS/S 1490) Emergencies & Disasters/Response; provides requirement for instruction of certain health care licensees on conditions caused by nuclear, biological, & chemical terrorism, as condition of initial licensure, &, in lieu of requirement for instruction on HIV & AIDS, as condition of relicensure; provides continuing education credits to health care practitioners for certain life support training, etc. Amends Chs. 381, 401, 456, 458, 459. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.  
03/14/02 SENATE Withdrawn from Governmental Oversight and Productivity -SJ 00589; Placed on Calendar, on second reading  
03/22/02 SENATE Died on Calendar
- S 1950 GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Sullivan (Similar CS/CS/S 0370, Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0507, H 0589, CS/H 1217, CS/CS/S 1490, S 2064, S 2462) Health Regulation; transfers to Health Dept. powers, duties, functions, & assets that relate to consumer complaint services, investigations, & prosecutorial services by AHCA under contract with dept.; requires accreditation of physician offices in which surgery is performed; exempts certain persons from radiologic technologist certification & provides certain training requirements for such exemption; defines term "medically unnecessary procedure", etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$50,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2002 except as otherwise provided.  
03/20/02 SENATE Withdrawn from Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations -SJ 01212;

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S 1950 (Continued)

03/20/02 SENATE Placed on Calendar, on second reading

03/22/02 SENATE Died on Calendar

S 1494 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Campbell  
(Linked CS/1ST ENG/S 0402, Similar H 1509, Compare H 1481)Pub. Records/Adverse-incident Report; exempts from public-records requirements certain adverse-incident reports of Health Dept. which pertain to patients, pharmacies, or related matters; provides guidelines for use of such information; provides finding of public necessity. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

02/12/02 SENATE CS read first time on 02/14/02 -SJ 00260

02/14/02 SENATE Now in Judiciary -SJ 00255

03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Judiciary

S 0402 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care;  
Campbell (Linked CS/S 1494, Similar H 1481, Compare H 1509)Ernest Belles Act; defines term "pharmaceutical adverse incident" & requires that such incidents be reported to Health Dept.; provides exceptions; requires department to review reported incidents to determine whether incidents potentially involve conduct by health care practitioner that is subject to disciplinary action; specifies that any disciplinary action shall be taken by appropriate board; provides for adoption of forms & rules. Effective Date: 07/01/2002 except as otherwise provided.

03/15/02 HOUSE In Messages

03/20/02 HOUSE Received, referred to Council for Healthy  
Communities -HJ 02248

03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Council on Council for Healthy Communities

H 1509 GENERAL BILL by Cusack (Linked H 1481, Similar CS/S 1494, Compare  
CS/1ST ENG/S 0402)Pub. Records/Adverse-incident Report; exempts from public-records requirements certain adverse-incident reports of Health Dept. which pertain to patients, pharmacies, or related matters; provides guidelines for use of such information; provides finding of public necessity. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

02/05/02 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00176

02/07/02 HOUSE Referred to Health Regulation (HCC); State  
Administration (SGC); Council for Healthy  
Communities -HJ 00219

03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Health Regulation (HCC)

H 1481 GENERAL BILL by Cusack (Linked H 1509, Similar CS/1ST ENG/S 0402,  
Compare CS/S 1494)Ernest Belles Act; defines term "pharmaceutical adverse incident" & requires that such incidents be reported to Health Dept.; provides exceptions; requires department to review reported incidents to determine whether incidents potentially involve conduct by health care practitioner that is subject to disciplinary action; specifies

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- H 1481 (Continued)  
that any disciplinary action shall be taken by appropriate board;  
provides for adoption of forms & rules. Effective Date: 07/01/2002  
except as otherwise provided.  
02/05/02 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00174  
02/07/02 HOUSE Referred to Health Regulation (HCC); Fiscal Policy  
& Resources (FRC); Council for Healthy Communities  
-HJ 00219  
03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Health Regulation (HCC)
- S 1496 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care;  
Campbell; (CO-SPONSORS) Peadar (Compare CS/CS/CS/2ND ENG/H 0519,  
CS/S 1618)  
Nursing Training Programs; revises provisions governing approval of  
training programs by Board of Nursing; provides for adoption of  
rules; exempts certain programs from board oversight; provides for  
review of certain substandard programs. Amends 464.019. Effective  
Date: 07/01/2002.  
03/07/02 HOUSE In Messages  
03/11/02 HOUSE Received, placed on Calendar -HJ 00973  
03/22/02 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed,  
refer to CS/CS/CS/HB 519 (Ch. 2002-230)
- H 0519 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/CS/2ND ENG by Council for Lifelong Learning;  
Health & Human Services Appropriations (FRC); Colleges &  
Universities (LLC); Murman; Fasano; Green; Harrell; (CO-SPONSORS)  
Greenstein; Lerner; Justice; Spratt; Clarke; Harrington; Kilmer;  
Waters; Mahon; McGriff; Cusack; Bowen; Maygarden; Garcia; Gannon;  
Farkas; Needelman; Rich; Atwater; Flanagan; Sobel; Holloway; Lynn;  
Davis; Slosberg; Bucher; Wilson; Richardson; Brutus; Gelber;  
Joyner; Fields (Compare CS/1ST ENG/H 0355, CS/CS/S 1250, CS/1ST  
ENG/S 1496, CS/S 1618, S 1942)  
Nursing Shortage Solution Act; amends provision re Nursing Student  
Loan Forgiveness Program to revise provisions re loan repayment;  
creates Sunshine Workforce Solutions Grant Program; revises  
provisions re eligibility for licensure by endorsement to practice  
professional or practical nursing; provides exemption from  
licensure for nurse licensed in territory of U.S.; creates public  
school volunteer health care practitioner program, etc. Amends Chs.  
464, 240, 381. Effective Date: 05/03/2002.  
03/22/02 HOUSE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -HJ 03110  
04/24/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor  
05/03/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-230
- S 1618 GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Saunders;  
(CO-SPONSORS) Geller; Sanderson; Miller; Cowin; Lawson (Compare  
CS/CS/CS/2ND ENG/H 0519, CS/1ST ENG/S 1496)  
Nursing Shortage Solution Act; amends provision re Nursing Student  
Loan Forgiveness Program; amends provision re Nursing Scholarship

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S 1618 (Continued)

Program to revise eligibility provisions; revises provisions re repayment of scholarship under certain circumstances; creates Sunshine Workforce Solutions Grant Program; revises provisions re eligibility for licensure by endorsement to practice professional or practical nursing, etc. Amends Chs. 240, 464. Appropriation: \$1,000,000. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

03/20/02 SENATE Amendment(s) adopted -SJ 01137; Substituted CS/CS/CS/HB 519 -SJ 01137; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/CS/HB 519 (Ch. 2002-230)

S 1618 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Saunders; (CO-SPONSORS) Geller; Sanderson; Miller; Cowin; Lawson (Compare CS/CS/CS/2ND ENG/H 0519, CS/1ST ENG/S 1496) Nursing Shortage Solution Act; amends provision re Nursing Student Loan Forgiveness Program; amends provision re Nursing Scholarship Program to revise eligibility provisions; revises provisions re repayment of scholarship under certain circumstances; creates Sunshine Workforce Solutions Grant Program; revises provisions re eligibility for licensure by endorsement to practice professional or practical nursing, etc. Amends Chs. 240, 464. Appropriation: \$1,000,000. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

03/20/02 SENATE Amendment(s) adopted -SJ 01137; Substituted CS/CS/CS/HB 519 -SJ 01137; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/CS/HB 519 (Ch. 2002-230)

H 0519 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/CS/2ND ENG by Council for Lifelong Learning; Health & Human Services Appropriations (FRC); Colleges & Universities (LLC); Murman; Fasano; Green; Harrell; (CO-SPONSORS) Greenstein; Lerner; Justice; Spratt; Clarke; Harrington; Kilmer; Waters; Mahon; McGriff; Cusack; Bowen; Maygarden; Garcia; Gannon; Farkas; Needelman; Rich; Atwater; Flanagan; Sobel; Holloway; Lynn; Davis; Slosberg; Bucher; Wilson; Richardson; Brutus; Gelber; Joyner; Fields (Compare CS/1ST ENG/H 0355, CS/CS/S 1250, CS/1ST ENG/S 1496, CS/S 1618, S 1942) Nursing Shortage Solution Act; amends provision re Nursing Student Loan Forgiveness Program to revise provisions re loan repayment; creates Sunshine Workforce Solutions Grant Program; revises provisions re eligibility for licensure by endorsement to practice professional or practical nursing; provides exemption from licensure for nurse licensed in territory of U.S.; creates public school volunteer health care practitioner program, etc. Amends Chs. 464, 240, 381. Effective Date: 05/03/2002.

03/22/02 HOUSE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -HJ 03110  
04/24/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor  
05/03/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-230

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- S 1496 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Campbell; (CO-SPONSORS) Peadar (Compare CS/CS/CS/2ND ENG/H 0519, CS/S 1618)  
Nursing Training Programs; revises provisions governing approval of training programs by Board of Nursing; provides for adoption of rules; exempts certain programs from board oversight; provides for review of certain substandard programs. Amends 464.019. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.  
03/07/02 HOUSE In Messages  
03/11/02 HOUSE Received, placed on Calendar -HJ 00973  
03/22/02 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/CS/HB 519 (Ch. 2002-230)
- S 1628 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Education; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Pruitt (Identical CS/CS/2ND ENG/H 0871)  
Immunizations/Postsecondary Educ.; requires that individuals enrolled in postsecondary educational institution be provided information re meningococcal meningitis & hepatitis B vaccines &, if residing in on-campus housing, provide documentation of vaccination against meningococcal meningitis & hepatitis B, or statement declining such vaccination. Creates 381.0421. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.  
03/19/02 SENATE Withdrawn from Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; Appropriations -SJ 01025; Placed on Calendar, on second reading  
03/22/02 SENATE Died on Calendar
- H 0871 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/2ND ENG by Council for Healthy Communities; Colleges & Universities (LLC); Hogan; (CO-SPONSORS) Waters; Sobel (Identical CS/CS/S 1628)  
Immunizations/Postsecondary Educ.; requires that individuals enrolled in postsecondary educational institution be provided information re meningococcal meningitis & hepatitis B vaccines &, if residing in on-campus housing, provide documentation of vaccination against meningococcal meningitis & hepatitis B, or statement declining such vaccination. Creates 381.0421. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.  
03/18/02 SENATE In Messages  
03/20/02 SENATE Received, referred to Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; Appropriations -SJ 01217  
03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care
- S 1690 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Cowin (Identical CS/H 1223)  
Women's Health & Safety Act; creates said act; revises requirements for reporting by medical directors & physicians of terminations of

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S 1690 \*\*(Continued)

pregnancies; provides penalty; provides for disciplinary action for successive failures to report; revises requirements for rules of AHCA re abortions performed in abortion clinics; provides for rules re abortions performed after first trimester of pregnancy, etc. Amends 390.0112,.012. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/19/02 SENATE Withdrawn from Judiciary; Governmental Oversight and Productivity -SJ 01025; Now in Rules and Calendar

H 1223 03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Rules and Calendar  
GENERAL BILL/CS by Council for Healthy Communities; Bean; Kilmer; Murman; (CO-SPONSORS) Ball; Davis; Hogan; Arza; Haridopolos; Stansel; Cantens; Baker; Maygarden; Melvin; Ross; Brown; Harrington; Fasano; Littlefield; Brummer; Bilirakis; Holloway; Flanagan; Allen (Identical CS/S 1690)

Women's Health & Safety Act; creates said act; revises requirements for reporting by medical directors & physicians of terminations of pregnancies; provides penalty; provides for disciplinary action for successive failures to report; revises requirements for rules of AHCA re abortions performed in abortion clinics; provides for rules re abortions performed after first trimester of pregnancy, etc. Amends 390.0112,.012. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/18/02 SENATE In Messages

03/20/02 SENATE Received, referred to Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Judiciary; Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Rules and Calendar -SJ 01213

03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care

S 1714 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Brown-Waite

Nursing Homes/Electronic Monitoring; requires AHCA to conduct pilot project to demonstrate use of electronic monitoring equipment in nursing homes; establishes requirements for nursing homes participating in pilot project; establishes procedures for use of said equipment; provides for conditional consent to monitoring; prohibits admission of tapes as evidence in civil litigation against nursing home, licensed health care practitioner, or staff of nursing home, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

03/20/02 HOUSE In Messages; Received, referred to Rules, Ethics & Elections (PRC) -HJ 02252

03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Rules, Ethics & Elections (PRC)

S 1760 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Sullivan; (CO-SPONSORS) Cowin (Similar CS/1ST ENG/H 0821, CS/S 1686)

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S 1760 \*(Continued)

Substance Abuse/Mental Health Prog.; requires publicly announced meetings; specifies additional requirements for district plans; authorizes CFS Dept. to use case rates or per capita contracts in contracting for provision of services for local substance abuse & mental health programs; specifies additional requirements re such contracts. Amends 394.4574,.74. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/21/02 SENATE Withdrawn from Rules and Calendar -SJ 01418; Placed on Calendar, on second reading

03/22/02 SENATE Died on Calendar

H 0821 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Council for Healthy Communities; Bean; (CO-SPONSORS) Paul; Sobel; Fiorentino (Similar CS/S 1686, CS/S 1760)

Substance Abuse & Mental Health; requires district administrators of CFS Dept. to accept community input in implementation of plans to ensure provision of certain treatment to certain patients; requires publicly announced meetings for input from assisted living facilities that hold limited mental health licenses; authorizes CFS Dept. to use case rates or per capita contracts in contracting for provision of services for local sub. abuse & mental health programs, etc. Amends Ch. 394. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/18/02 SENATE In Messages

03/20/02 SENATE Received, referred to Children and Families; Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations -SJ 01217

03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Children and Families

S 1686 GENERAL BILL/CS by Children and Families; Cowin (Similar CS/1ST ENG/H 0821, CS/S 1760)

Substance Abuse & Mental Health; requires districts within CFS Dept. to hold publicly announced meetings to solicit input from assisted living facilities; specifies additional requirements for district plans; authorizes dept. to use case rates or per capita contracts in contracting for provision of services for local substance abuse & mental health programs; specifies additional requirements re such contracts. Amends 394.4574,.74. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/06/02 SENATE CS read first time on 03/07/02 -SJ 00481

03/07/02 SENATE Now in Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs -SJ 00474

03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs

S 1766 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Sullivan; (CO-SPONSORS) Cowin (Similar 1ST ENG/H 1467)  
Kimberlin West Act of 2002; requires hospitals, birthing facilities, or home birth providers to give to new parents

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S 1766 \*\*(Continued)

informational brochures concerning dangers of shaking babies & young children; requires Health Dept. to prepare brochures; prescribes contents of brochures; provides applicability of failure to cooperate with law enforcement re investigation of or privileged communications re child or adult abuse, etc. Amends 39.204, 415.1045. Effective Date: 04/24/2002.

03/21/02 SENATE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -SJ 01356

04/23/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

04/24/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-174

H 1467 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Waters; (CO-SPONSORS) Crow; Baxley; Murman; Justice; Lynn; Joyner; Gottlieb; Atwater; Frankel; Slosberg; Lerner; Bucher; Sobel; Wilson; Richardson; Heyman; Brutus; Gelber; Rich; Fields (Similar CS/2ND ENG/S 1766)

Child & Adult Abuse; requires hospitals, birthing facilities, or home birth providers to give to new parents informational brochures concerning dangers of shaking babies & young children; requires Health Dept. to prepare brochures; prescribes contents of brochures; provides applicability of failure to cooperate with law enforcement re investigation of or privileged communications re child or adult abuse, etc. Amends 39.204, 415.1045. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

03/12/02 HOUSE Amendment(s) adopted -HJ 01015

03/18/02 HOUSE Substituted CS/SB 1766; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1766 (Ch. 2002-174) -HJ 02024

S 1806 \*\*TRUST FUND/GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Silver (Linked CS/S 1808, Similar H 1347, Compare H 1345)

Fla. Center for Nursing Trust Fund; provides exemption to service charges for said fund; creates Florida Center for Nursing Trust Fund; provides for sources of funds & purposes; provides for annual carryforward of funds; provides for future review & termination or re-creation of trust fund. Amends 215.22; creates 464.0198. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/22/02 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 02115

04/25/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

05/03/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-228; See also CS/SB 1808 (Ch. 2002-229)

S 1808 GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Silver (Linked CS/S 1806, Similar H 1345, Compare H 1347)

Fla. Center for Nursing; authorizes Board of Nursing to collect additional revenues that are voluntarily paid by nurses upon licensure & licensure renewal to fund center; provides for deposit of fee revenues in Florida Center for Nursing Trust Fund. Amends 464.0195. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/22/02 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 02115

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S 1808 (Continued)

04/25/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

05/03/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-229; See  
also CS/SB 1806 (Ch. 2002-228)H 1347 TRUST FUND/GENERAL BILL by Green; Fasano (Linked H 1345, Similar  
CS/S 1806, Compare CS/S 1808)Fla. Center for Nursing Trust Fund; creates Florida Center for  
Nursing Trust Fund; provides for sources of funds & purposes;  
provides for annual carryforward of funds; provides for future  
review & termination or re-creation of trust fund. Creates  
464.0198. Effective Date: Contingent.03/11/02 HOUSE Withdrawn from Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC);  
Council for Healthy Communities -HJ 00950; Placed  
on Calendar03/22/02 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed,  
refer to CS/SB 1806 (Ch. 2002-228), CS/SB 1808 (Ch.  
2002-229)H 1345 GENERAL BILL by Green; Fasano (Linked H 1347, Similar CS/S 1808,  
Compare CS/S 1806)Fla. Center for Nursing; authorizes Board of Nursing to impose  
additional nursing license & renewal fee to fund center; provides  
for deposit of fee revenues in Florida Center for Nursing Trust  
Fund. Amends 464.0195. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.03/11/02 HOUSE Withdrawn from Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC);  
Council for Healthy Communities -HJ 00950; Placed  
on Calendar03/22/02 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed,  
refer to CS/SB 1808 (Ch. 2002-229), CS/SB 1806 (Ch.  
2002-228)S 1808 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Silver  
(Linked CS/S 1806, Similar H 1345, Compare H 1347)Fla. Center for Nursing; authorizes Board of Nursing to collect  
additional revenues that are voluntarily paid by nurses upon  
licensure & licensure renewal to fund center; provides for deposit  
of fee revenues in Florida Center for Nursing Trust Fund. Amends  
464.0195. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/22/02 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 02115

04/25/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

05/03/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-229; See  
also CS/SB 1806 (Ch. 2002-228)S 1806 TRUST FUND/GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care;  
Silver (Linked CS/S 1808, Similar H 1347, Compare H 1345)Fla. Center for Nursing Trust Fund; provides exemption to service  
charges for said fund; creates Florida Center for Nursing Trust  
Fund; provides for sources of funds & purposes; provides for annual  
carryforward of funds; provides for future review & termination or

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- S 1806 (Continued)  
 re-creation of trust fund. Amends 215.22; creates 464.0198.  
 Effective Date: 07/01/2002.  
 03/22/02 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 02115  
 04/25/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor  
 05/03/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-228; See  
 also CS/SB 1808 (Ch. 2002-229)
- H 1345 GENERAL BILL by Green; Fasano (Linked H 1347, Similar CS/S 1808,  
 Compare CS/S 1806)  
Fla. Center for Nursing; authorizes Board of Nursing to impose  
 additional nursing license & renewal fee to fund center; provides  
 for deposit of fee revenues in Florida Center for Nursing Trust  
 Fund. Amends 464.0195. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.  
 03/11/02 HOUSE Withdrawn from Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC);  
 Council for Healthy Communities -HJ 00950; Placed  
 on Calendar  
 03/22/02 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed,  
 refer to CS/SB 1808 (Ch. 2002-229), CS/SB 1806 (Ch.  
 2002-228)
- H 1347 TRUST FUND/GENERAL BILL by Green; Fasano (Linked H 1345, Similar  
 CS/S 1806, Compare CS/S 1808)  
Fla. Center for Nursing Trust Fund; creates Florida Center for  
 Nursing Trust Fund; provides for sources of funds & purposes;  
 provides for annual carryforward of funds; provides for future  
 review & termination or re-creation of trust fund. Creates  
 464.0198. Effective Date: Contingent.  
 03/11/02 HOUSE Withdrawn from Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC);  
 Council for Healthy Communities -HJ 00950; Placed  
 on Calendar  
 03/22/02 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed,  
 refer to CS/SB 1806 (Ch. 2002-228), CS/SB 1808 (Ch.  
 2002-229)
- S 1838 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Children and Families; Health, Aging and  
 Long-Term Care; Brown-Waite (Similar 2ND ENG/H 0703, Compare  
 S 0414, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0596, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 1150, CS/2ND  
 ENG/S 1276)  
Florida Consumer-Directed Care Act; creates said act; provides  
 legislative findings & intent; requires AHCA & Elderly Affairs to  
 submit plan to Governor & Legislature for reducing nursing-home-bed  
 days funded under Medicaid program; requires AHCA to establish  
 nursing facility preadmission screening program; requires Elderly  
 Affairs Dept. & AHCA to implement nursing home transition program,  
 etc. Amends Chs. 400, 409, 408, 430, 641. Effective Date:  
 07/01/2002.  
 03/11/02 SENATE CS read first time on 03/13/02 -SJ 00517  
 03/13/02 SENATE Now in Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and

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S 1838 \*(Continued)

03/13/02 SENATE Human Services -SJ 00589

03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1276 (Ch. 2002-223)

H 0703

GENERAL BILL/2ND ENG by Green; Fasano; (CO-SPONSORS) Rubio; Goodlette; Bilirakis; Baxley; Harrell; Murman; Kilmer; Clarke; Atwater; Bowen; Waters; Sobel; Rich; Heyman; Mayfield; Trovillion; Benson; Lynn; Brummer; Romeo; Harrington; Kottkamp; Joyner; Fields; Greenstein; Kendrick; Flanagan; Stansel; Davis; Argenziano; Sorensen; Gottlieb; Dockery; Detert; Lerner; Wilson; Richardson; Gelber; Bullard (Similar CS/CS/S 1838, Compare S 0414, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0596, CS/2ND ENG/S 1276)

Long-term Care; creates "Florida Consumer-Directed Care Act"; establishes consumer-directed care program; requires AHCA & Elderly Affairs Dept. to submit plan to Governor & Legislature for reducing nursing home bed days funded under Medicaid program; requires AHCA to establish nursing facility preadmission screening program; provides for administration of State Long-Term Care Ombudsman Council by Elderly Affairs Dept., etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/18/02 SENATE In Messages

03/20/02 SENATE Received, referred to Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations -SJ 01216

03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1276 (Ch. 2002-223)

S 0414

GENERAL BILL by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care (Compare 2ND ENG/H 0703, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0596, CS/2ND ENG/S 1276, CS/CS/S 1838) Long-term Care Ombudsman Program; increases maximum membership of local long-term care ombudsman councils; requires State Long-Term Care Ombudsman Council to publish complaint information quarterly; specifies training requirements for employees of State Long-Term Care Ombudsman & its volunteers. Amends 400.0069,.0089,.0091. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

02/21/02 HOUSE In Messages

03/11/02 HOUSE Received, referred to Rules, Ethics &amp; Elections (PRC) -HJ 00969

03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Rules, Ethics &amp; Elections (PRC), Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1276 (Ch. 2002-223)

S 0596

GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Appropriations; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care (Compare 2ND ENG/H 0703, S 0414, CS/2ND ENG/S 1276, CS/CS/S 1838)

Long-term Care; provides legislative findings & intent re needs of state's elderly population; requires AHCA & Elderly Affairs Dept. to submit plan to Governor & Legislature for reducing

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S 0596 (Continued)

nursing-home-bed days funded under Medicaid program; requires AHCA to establish nursing facility preadmission screening program through interagency agreement with Elderly Affairs Dept.; establishes Long-Term-Care Policy Office within said dept, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/22/02 HOUSE CS passed as amended; YEAS 114 NAYS 1 -HJ 02778

03/22/02 SENATE In returning messages; Died in returning Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1276 (Ch. 2002-223)

S 1150 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/2ND ENG by Criminal Justice; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Saunders; (CO-SPONSORS) Crist (Compare H 1603, 1ST ENG/H 1975, CS/2ND ENG/S 1276, S 1344, CS/S 1632, CS/CS/S 1838) Medicaid Overpayments/Recovery; specifies additional requirements for Medicaid Fraud Control Unit of Legal Affairs Dept. & Medicaid program integrity program; extends whistle-blower protection to employees of Medicaid providers reporting Medicaid fraud or abuse; allows AHCA to take action against licensee in certain circumstances; prescribes additional requirements re provider enrollment; requires that AHCA deny provider's application under certain circumstances, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

03/18/02 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 36 NAYS 0 -SJ 00818

03/18/02 HOUSE In Messages

03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1276 (Ch. 2002-223), HB 59-E (Ch. 2002-400)

S 1276 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Appropriations; Silver (Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0385, 2ND ENG/H 0703, H 1257, H 1761, S 0414, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0596, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 1150, CS/CS/S 1286, CS/CS/S 1838) Fla. Health & Human Services Access; creates "Florida Health & Human Services Access Act"; requires AHCA to establish as pilot project comprehensive health & human services eligibility access system; authorizes agency to request federal waivers; authorizes planning, development, & implementation of Florida 211 Network; authorizes AHCA to contract with entity providing prepaid or fixed-sum health care & social services to elderly recipients, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 05/01/2002.

03/22/02 SENATE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -SJ 01558

04/18/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

05/01/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-223; See also CS/HB 385 (Ch. 2002-282)

S 1860 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Dawson; (CO-SPONSORS) Crist (Compare CS/H 0863) Assisted Living/Minority Persons; directs USF's Policy Exchange Center on Aging to conduct study; provides for access to records &

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S 1860 \*\*(Continued)

data of DOEA, AHCA, & DCA; requires reports; provides for development of private-public partnership to facilitate development of facility in Front Porch Community; provides design principles; provides for appointment of advisory group to guide study & private-public partnership development effort; provides for termination of said group, etc. Appropriation: \$100,000.

Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/22/02 HOUSE CS passed as amended; YEAS 116 NAYS 0 -HJ 03108

H 0863 03/22/02 SENATE In returning messages; Died in returning Messages

GENERAL BILL/CS by Elder & Long-Term Care (HCC); Joyner;

(CO-SPONSORS) Wiles (Compare CS/S 1860)

Assisted-living/Minority Persons; directs Shimberg Center for Affordable Housing at U of F to contract with Institute on Urban Policy & Commerce at FAMU to conduct study; provides for access to records & data of Elderly Affairs Dept. & AHCA; provides for development of private-public partnership to develop & operate facility in urban core area; provides for appointment of advisory group to guide study & private-public partnership development effort, etc. Appropriation: \$150,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/11/02 HOUSE Withdrawn from Health & Human Services

Appropriations (FRC) -HJ 00950; Now in Council for Healthy Communities

03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Council on Council for Healthy Communities

S 1950 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Sullivan (Similar CS/CS/S 0370, Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0507, H 0589, CS/H 1217, CS/CS/S 1490, S 2064, S 2462)

Health Regulation; transfers to Health Dept. powers, duties, functions, & assets that relate to consumer complaint services, investigations, & prosecutorial services by AHCA under contract with dept.; requires accreditation of physician offices in which surgery is performed; exempts certain persons from radiologic technologist certification & provides certain training requirements for such exemption; defines term "medically unnecessary procedure", etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$50,000. Effective Date:

07/01/2002 except as otherwise provided.

03/20/02 SENATE Withdrawn from Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations -SJ 01212; Placed on Calendar, on second reading

03/22/02 SENATE Died on Calendar

S 0370 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Appropriations; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Saunders; (CO-SPONSORS) Miller (Similar CS/S 1950, Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0507, H 0589, CS/H 1217, CS/CS/S 1490, S 2064, S 2462) Health Regulation; terminates standardized credentialing program for health care practitioners; requires accreditation of physician

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## Senate Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care (Continued)

S 0370 (Continued)

offices in which surgery is performed; exempts certain persons from radiologic technologist certification & provides certain training requirements for such exemption; defines term "medically unnecessary procedure"; requires AHCA to adopt rules governing conduct of inspections or investigations, etc. Amends FS.

Effective Date: 07/01/2002 except as otherwise provided.

03/22/02 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 01482;

Substituted CS/HB 507 (Died in House Returning Messages) -SJ 02043; Laid on Table,

Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 59-E (Ch. 2002-400)

H 0507 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Council for Healthy Communities; Fasano; Farkas; (CO-SPONSORS) Fiorentino; Sobel; Slosberg; Wilson; Brutus; Gelber; Rich; Joyner (Compare CS/1ST ENG/H 0137, CS/H 0293, H 0589, H 0597, CS/CS/H 0879, CS/H 1217, H 1233, 2ND ENG/H 1375, H 1405, CS/H 1415, H 1579, H 1797, H 2007, S 0146, CS/1ST ENG/S 0268, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0362, CS/CS/S 0370, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0484, CS/2ND ENG/S 1108, CS/S 1216, CS/1ST ENG/S 1262, CS/1ST ENG/S 1264, CS/S 1380, CS/CS/S 1490, CS/S 1950, CS/2ND ENG/S 2048, S 2064, S 2128, CS/S 2226, S 2298, S 2388, S 2462)

Emergencies & Disasters/Response; transfers to Health Dept. powers, duties, functions, & assets that relate to consumer complaint services, investigations, & prosecutorial services performed by AHCA under contract with department; provides additional penalties to be imposed on certain health care practitioners re notice to patients concerning availability & access to medical records; specifies terms under which public health emergency is declared, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$50,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2002 except as otherwise provided.

03/22/02 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 36 NAYS 1 -SJ 02079

03/22/02 HOUSE In returning messages; Died in returning Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 1405 (Ch. 2002-254), CS/SB 268 (Ch. 2002-195), CS/SB 1262 (Ch. 2002-269), CS/SB 2048 (Ch. 2002-35), HB 59-E (Ch. 2002-400)

H 0589 GENERAL BILL by Berfield; Murman; (CO-SPONSORS) Negron; Sobel (Similar CS/CS/S 1490, Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0507, CS/H 1217, CS/CS/S 0370, CS/S 1216, CS/S 1950)

Emergency Services & Care/Health; revises definitions re emergency services & care provided by hospitals & related facilities; revises provisions re hospital service capability & access to emergency services & care; establishes program under agency to reimburse health care facilities & practitioners for cost of uncompensated emergency services & care; provides requirements for health insurance policy coverage of said services & care, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$50,000,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/07/02 HOUSE Withdrawn from Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC)

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H 0589 (Continued)  
 03/07/02 HOUSE -HJ 00862; Now in Council for Healthy Communities  
 03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Council on Council for Healthy Communities

H 1217 GENERAL BILL/CS by Council for Healthy Communities; Health Regulation (HCC); Farkas; (CO-SPONSORS) Sobel; Fiorentino; Johnson; Alexander; Ritter; Harrell; Wishner; Siplin; Rubio; Kravitz; Hogan (Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0507, H 0589, CS/CS/S 0370, CS/S 1216, CS/CS/S 1490, CS/S 1950, S 2064, S 2388, S 2462)  
Health Care/Prof. Responsibility; transfers to Health Dept. powers, duties, functions, & assets that relate to consumer complaint services, investigations, & prosecutorial services performed by AHCA under contract with dept.; provides additional conditions for impaired practitioners to enroll in treatment program as alternative to discipline; provides continuing education credits to health care practitioners for certain life support training, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$50,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2002 except as otherwise provided.  
 03/15/02 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on Calendar  
 03/22/02 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 59-E (Ch. 2002-400)

S 1490 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Appropriations; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Campbell (Similar H 0589, Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0507, CS/H 1217, CS/CS/S 0370, CS/S 1216, CS/S 1950)  
Emergency Services & Care/Health; requires AHCA to adopt rules governing conduct of inspections or investigations; revises provisions governing internal risk-management program; redefines term "advanced life support" & "basic life support"; revises requirements for providing emergency services & care under Medicaid managed care plans & MediPass; provides requirements for health insurance policy coverage of hospital emergency services & care, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.  
 03/22/02 SENATE CS passed; YEAS 36 NAYS 0 -SJ 02001  
 03/22/02 HOUSE In Messages; Died in Messages

S 2064 GENERAL BILL by Geller (Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0507, CS/H 1217, CS/CS/S 0370, CS/S 1950)  
Health Care Providers; specifies medical liability actions with respect to which Health Dept. must maintain information on certain licensees; revises definition of term "repeated malpractice" for purposes of disciplinary action against physicians & osteopaths; increases monetary limits of claims against certain health care providers which result in investigation, etc. Amends 456.041, 458.331, 459.015, 627.912. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.  
 02/26/02 SENATE Favorable with 1 amendment(s) by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; YEAS 9 NAYS 0 -SJ 00346  
 02/27/02 SENATE Now in Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services -SJ 00346  
 03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on

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- S 2064 (Continued)  
03/22/02 SENATE Health and Human Services
- S 2462 GENERAL BILL by Cowin (Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0507, CS/H 1217, CS/CS/S 0370, CS/S 1950)  
Health Care; provides for medical academic research privilege; redefines term "clinic" for purpose of registration with Health Dept.; revises grounds for discipline of health care practitioners; redefines term "medical review committee". Creates 405.04; amends 456.0375, .072, 766.101. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.  
02/26/02 SENATE Introduced, referred to Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Judiciary -SJ 00323  
02/28/02 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Health, Aging and Long-Term Care, 03/05/02, 1:00 pm, 110-S --Not considered  
03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care
- S 1980 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Silver (Compare 1ST ENG/H 1975, CS/2ND ENG/S 1108)  
Children's Health Care; revises duties of Florida Healthy Kids Corporation re annual determination of participation in Healthy Kids Program; prescribes duties of corporation in establishing local match requirements; revises composition of board of directors. Amends 624.91. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.  
03/21/02 SENATE CS passed; YEAS 35 NAYS 0 -SJ 01400  
03/21/02 HOUSE In Messages  
03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 59-E (Ch. 2002-400)
- H 1975 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Fiscal Responsibility Council; Murman (Similar CS/2ND ENG/S 1108, Compare H 1603, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 1150, S 1344, CS/S 1632, CS/S 1980, S 2356)  
Health Care; requires certain collocation & coordination of Medicaid Fraud Control Unit of Legal Affairs Dept. & Medicaid program integrity program; revises procedures & requirements re whistle-blower protection for reporting Medicaid fraud or abuse; provides requirements for contracts for Medicaid behavioral health care services; revises limitation on county contribution to Medicaid costs, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law except as otherwise provided.  
03/07/02 HOUSE Read third time -HJ 00873, -HJ 00949; Amendment pending --Temporarily postponed -HJ 00949  
03/22/02 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 59-E (Ch. 2002-400)
- S 1108 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Appropriations; Silver (Similar 1ST ENG/H 1975, Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0507, H 0597, H 1577, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0484, CS/S 1980, S 2166, S 2356)  
Health Care; provides for feasibility study re outsourcing specified functions of Dentistry Board; requires agency to contract

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S 1108 (Continued)

for evaluation of Fla. Kidcare program; revises provisions governing purchase of goods & services for Medicaid recipients; authorizes AHCA to conduct pilot project on overnight stays in ambulatory surgical center; revises duties of Fla. Healthy Kids Corp. re annual determination of participation, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$50,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/21/02 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 36 NAYS 0 -SJ 01298

03/22/02 HOUSE In Messages; Died in Messages,

Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 59-E (Ch. 2002-400)

S 2002 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Wasserman Schultz; (CO-SPONSORS) Saunders (Similar CS/CS/1ST ENG/H 0817, Compare H 1053)

Newborn Infant Screening; creates within Children's Medical Services Prevention & Intervention Division of Health Dept. the Infant Screening Programs Task Force; provides purpose; provides membership; requires recommendations & plan for expanding newborn infant screening requirements; requires report to Legislature. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

03/14/02 SENATE Read third time -SJ 00579; Substituted CS/CS/HB 817 -SJ 00581; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/HB 817 (Ch. 2002-69)

H 0817 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Council for Healthy Communities; Health Regulation (HCC); Sobel; (CO-SPONSORS) Siplin; Joyner; Rich (Similar CS/CS/S 2002, Compare H 1053)

Newborn Infant Screening; authorizes formation of task force within Children's Medical Services Prevention & Intervention Div. of Health Dept.; provides purpose; provides membership, organization, & expenses; requires review of data & recommendations & plan for newborn infant screening requirements; requires consideration of costs of expansion & testing; requires report; provides for termination of task force. Effective Date: 04/22/2002.

03/15/02 HOUSE Ordered enrolled -HJ 01969

04/17/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

04/22/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-69

H 1053 GENERAL BILL by Sobel (Compare CS/CS/1ST ENG/H 0817, CS/CS/S 2002)

Newborn Infant Screening; authorizes formation of study group under Children's Medical Services of Health Dept.; provides purpose & membership; requires recommendations & plan for expanding newborn infant screening requirements; requires report to Legislature. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

01/29/02 HOUSE Referred to Health Regulation (HCC); Judicial Oversight (SGC); Council for Healthy Communities -HJ 00135

01/31/02 HOUSE Withdrawn from Health Regulation (HCC); Judicial

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H 1053 (Continued)

01/31/02 HOUSE Oversight (SGC); Council for Healthy Communities; Withdrawn from further cons., Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/HB 817 (Ch. 2002-69)  
-HJ 00142

S 2026 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Cowin  
(Similar H 1831)

Genetic Counselors; creates "Genetic Counseling Practice Act"; requires licensure to practice genetic counseling; creates Board of Genetic Counselors & provides for appointment & staggering terms of its members; provides for biennial renewal of licensure & for continuing education; provides penalties; provides grounds for disciplinary action; provides for denial of licensure or imposition of other disciplinary actions authorized by law, etc. Creates 468.901-.913. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

02/28/02 SENATE Now in Governmental Oversight and Productivity  
-SJ 00385; On Committee agenda-- Finance and  
Taxation, 03/04/02, 12:00 noon, 37-S --Not received

03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Governmental Oversight and  
Productivity

H 1831 GENERAL BILL by Siplin (Similar CS/S 2026)

Genetic Counselors; creates "Genetic Counseling Practice Act"; requires licensure to practice genetic counseling; creates Board of Genetic Counselors & provides for appointment & staggering of terms of its members; provides for biennial renewal of licensure & for continuing education; provides grounds for disciplinary action; provides for denial of licensure or imposition of other disciplinary actions authorized by law, etc. Creates 468.901-.913. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

02/12/02 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00216

02/15/02 HOUSE Referred to Health Regulation (HCC); Fiscal  
Responsibility Council; Council for Healthy  
Communities -HJ 00264

03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Health Regulation (HCC)

S 2030 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Children  
and Families; Peadar

Mental Health Treatment; creates workgroup to study development & implementation of involuntary outpatient treatment provisions for persons with mental illness under Florida's Mental Health Act; identifies workgroup members; requires Florida Sheriff's Association to convene & chair workgroup; requires report to Governor & Legislature by December 31, 2002. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

03/11/02 SENATE CS read first time on 03/13/02 -SJ 00518

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S 2030 \*\*(Continued)

03/13/02 SENATE Now in Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services -SJ 00511

03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services

S 2048 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Saunders (Similar CS/H 1415, Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0507)

Organ-transplant Services/Medicaid; provides short title as "Jennifer Knight Medicaid Lung Transplant Act" ; provides Medicaid coverage for certain organ-transplant services; exempts counties from contributions for such services. Amends 409.915. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/21/02 SENATE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -SJ 01356

04/05/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

04/16/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-35

H 1415 GENERAL BILL/CS by Fiscal Responsibility Council; McGriff; Goodlette; Harrell; Green; Justice; (CO-SPONSORS) Hogan; Kosmas; Gottlieb; Harrington; Lacasa; Romeo; Peterman; Frankel; Joyner; Fields; Atwater; Kottkamp; Jennings; Holloway; Bullard; Davis; Gibson; Clarke; Meador; Waters; Farkas; Detert; Pickens; Needelman; Benson; Cusack; Machek; Gannon; Baxley; Evers; Lerner; Wiles; Kendrick; Stansel; Bean; Baker (Similar CS/2ND ENG/S 2048, Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0507)

Organ Transplant Services/Medicaid; provides Medicaid coverage for certain organ transplant services; exempts counties from contributions for such services. Amends 409.915. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/15/02 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Substituted CS/SB 2048; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 2048 (Ch. 2002-35) -HJ 01861

H 0507 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Council for Healthy Communities; Fasano; Farkas; (CO-SPONSORS) Fiorentino; Sobel; Slosberg; Wilson; Brutus; Gelber; Rich; Joyner (Compare CS/1ST ENG/H 0137, CS/H 0293, H 0589, H 0597, CS/CS/H 0879, CS/H 1217, H 1233, 2ND ENG/H 1375, H 1405, CS/H 1415, H 1579, H 1797, H 2007, S 0146, CS/1ST ENG/S 0268, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0362, CS/CS/S 0370, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0484, CS/2ND ENG/S 1108, CS/S 1216, CS/1ST ENG/S 1262, CS/1ST ENG/S 1264, CS/S 1380, CS/CS/S 1490, CS/S 1950, CS/2ND ENG/S 2048, S 2064, S 2128, CS/S 2226, S 2298, S 2388, S 2462)

Emergencies & Disasters/Response; transfers to Health Dept. powers, duties, functions, & assets that relate to consumer complaint services, investigations, & prosecutorial services performed by AHCA under contract with department; provides additional penalties to be imposed on certain health care practitioners re notice to patients concerning availability & access to medical records; specifies terms under which public health emergency is declared,

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etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$50,000. Effective Date:

07/01/2002 except as otherwise provided.

03/22/02 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 36 NAYS 1 -SJ 02079

03/22/02 HOUSE In returning messages; Died in returning Messages,  
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 1405 (Ch.  
2002-254), CS/SB 268 (Ch. 2002-195), CS/SB 1262  
(Ch. 2002-269), CS/SB 2048 (Ch. 2002-35), HB 59-E  
(Ch. 2002-400)S 2062 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Banking and Insurance; Health, Aging and  
Long-Term Care; Klein (Compare H 1117)Infant Eye Care; requires certain eye examinations for all infants  
born in hospitals in state; requires Medicaid program to include  
certain eye examinations as covered benefit; reenacts provision re  
penalty; provides that coverage for children under health insurance  
policies & health maintenance organization contracts include  
certain eye examinations for infants & children. Amends 383.04,  
627.6416, 627.6579, 641.31; reenacts 383.07. Effective Date:  
07/01/2002.

03/12/02 SENATE CS read first time on 03/13/02 -SJ 00518

03/13/02 SENATE Now in Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and  
Human Services -SJ 0051103/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on  
Health and Human ServicesH 1117 GENERAL BILL by Bucher; Gelber; Gannon; (CO-SPONSORS) Joyner;  
Sobel; Allen; Harper; Atwater; Slosberg; Machek; Andrews; Wishner;  
Ritter; Siplin; Garcia; Romeo (Compare CS/CS/S 2062)Infant Eye Care; requires certain eye examinations for all infants  
born in hospitals in state; reenacts provision re penalty; provides  
that coverage for children under health insurance policies & health  
maintenance organization contracts include certain eye examinations  
for infants & children. Amends 383.04, 627.6416, 641.31; reenacts  
383.07. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.02/21/02 HOUSE Favorable with 1 amendment(s) by Child & Family  
Security (HCC); YEAS 5 NAYS 3 -HJ 0029302/25/02 HOUSE Now in Health & Human Services Appropriations (FRC)  
-HJ 0029303/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Health & Human Services  
Appropriations (FRC)S 2226 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Peaden  
(Similar H 1233, Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0507)Surgical First Assistants; revises required component of internal  
risk management programs to include requirements for use of  
surgical first assistants; requires health insurance policies to

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provide coverage for medically necessary services of surgical first assistant selected by primary surgeon to assist in covered surgical procedure; provides applicability to new or renewed policies & contracts, etc. Amends Chs. 395, 627, 641. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/05/02 SENATE CS read first time on 03/07/02 -SJ 00482

03/07/02 SENATE Now in Banking and Insurance -SJ 00474

03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Banking and Insurance

H 1233 GENERAL BILL by Harrell; (CO-SPONSORS) Cantens; Negron (Similar CS/S 2226, Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0507)

Surgical First Assistants; revises required component of internal risk management programs to include requirements for use of physician surgical first assistants; requires health insurance policies to provide coverage for medically necessary services of said assistant selected by primary surgeon to assist in covered surgical procedure, provides applicability to new or renewed policies & contracts, etc. Amends 395.0197, 627.64165, .6572, 641.31. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

02/21/02 HOUSE Favorable with 1 amendment(s) by Health Regulation (HCC); YEAS 7 NAYS 0 -HJ 00291

02/22/02 HOUSE Now in Insurance (CCC) -HJ 00291

03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Insurance (CCC)

H 0507 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Council for Healthy Communities; Fasano; Farkas; (CO-SPONSORS) Fiorentino; Sobel; Slosberg; Wilson; Brutus; Gelber; Rich; Joyner (Compare CS/1ST ENG/H 0137, CS/H 0293, H 0589, H 0597, CS/CS/H 0879, CS/H 1217, H 1233, 2ND ENG/H 1375, H 1405, CS/H 1415, H 1579, H 1797, H 2007, S 0146, CS/1ST ENG/S 0268, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0362, CS/CS/S 0370, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0484, CS/2ND ENG/S 1108, CS/S 1216, CS/1ST ENG/S 1262, CS/1ST ENG/S 1264, CS/S 1380, CS/CS/S 1490, CS/S 1950, CS/2ND ENG/S 2048, S 2064, S 2128, CS/S 2226, S 2298, S 2388, S 2462)

Emergencies & Disasters/Response; transfers to Health Dept. powers, duties, functions, & assets that relate to consumer complaint services, investigations, & prosecutorial services performed by AHCA under contract with department; provides additional penalties to be imposed on certain health care practitioners re notice to patients concerning availability & access to medical records; specifies terms under which public health emergency is declared, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$50,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2002 except as otherwise provided.

03/22/02 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 36 NAYS 1 -SJ 02079

03/22/02 HOUSE In returning messages; Died in returning Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 1405 (Ch. 2002-254), CS/SB 268 (Ch. 2002-195), CS/SB 1262 (Ch. 2002-269), CS/SB 2048 (Ch. 2002-35), HB 59-E (Ch. 2002-400)

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- S 2246 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Wasserman Schultz (Similar CS/H 0125)  
Rape Survivors/Emergency Treatment; provides legislative intent; provides definitions; prescribes requirements for treatment for survivors of rape; provides for counseling & for oral & written information concerning pregnancy prevention prophylaxis; provides for immediate access to medically appropriate pregnancy prevention prophylaxis, if requested; provides applicability. Creates 381.0047. Effective Date: 10/01/2002.  
03/18/02 SENATE Withdrawn from Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations -SJ 00849; Placed on Calendar, on second reading  
03/22/02 SENATE Died on Calendar
- H 0125 GENERAL BILL/CS by Health Regulation (HCC); Gannon; (CO-SPONSORS) Weissman; Lerner; Joyner; Gottlieb; Wishner; Ritter; Harper; Meadows; Romeo; Betancourt; Rich; Machek; Justice; Heyman; Wilson; Frankel; Kosmas; Sobel; Fields; McGriff; Bullard (Similar CS/S 2246)  
Rape Survivors/Emergency Treatment; provides legislative intent; provides definitions; provides requirements for treatment for survivors of rape; provides for counseling & for oral & written information about pregnancy prevention prophylaxis; provides for immediate access to medically appropriate pregnancy prevention prophylaxis, if requested; provides applicability. Creates 395.1022. Effective Date: 10/01/2002.  
02/08/02 HOUSE Pending review of CS under Rule 6 -HJ 00227  
02/13/02 HOUSE Now in State Administration (SGC) -HJ 00227  
03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on State Administration (SGC)
- S 2254 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Children and Families; Brown-Waite (Similar CS/H 1659)  
Supportive Housing; directs Secretary of Children & Family Services to establish workgroup to review issues associated with services & supports provided through state-funded supportive housing; provides for membership & staff of workgroup; requires workgroup to prepare recommendations; requires inclusion of recommendations in state plan. Effective Date: 05/13/2002.  
03/22/02 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 02115  
04/30/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor  
05/13/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-248
- H 1659 GENERAL BILL/CS by Council for Healthy Communities; Justice; Bilirakis; (CO-SPONSORS) Garcia; Gottlieb; Carassas (Similar CS/CS/S 2254)  
Supportive Housing; directs Secretary of Children & Family Services to establish workgroup to review issues associated with services & supports provided through state-funded supportive housing; requires recommendations; requires inclusion of recommendations in state

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- H 1659 (Continued)  
substance abuse & mental health master plan. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.  
03/15/02 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on Calendar  
03/22/02 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 2254 (Ch. 2002-248)
- S 2294 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Brown-Waite (Similar CS/1ST ENG/H 1219)  
Patient Safety Improvement Act; creates said act; creates Florida Center for Patient Safety at University of South Florida & Florida State University; requires center to coordinate research concerning patient safety; requires that center conduct research, perform evaluations, & provide technical assistance to health care providers, patient & their families, & policymakers; requires center to establish State Patient Safety Database to use in analyzing & disseminating information, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.  
03/19/02 SENATE Withdrawn from Education -SJ 01025; Now in Judiciary  
03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Judiciary
- H 1219 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Council for Healthy Communities; Bowen; Murman; (CO-SPONSORS) Arza; Kilmer; Sobel; Fiorentino; Mayfield (Similar CS/S 2294)  
Patient Safety Improvement Act; provides legislative intent & definitions; creates Florida Patient Safety Center; provides for location & duties of center; requires identifying information in medical patient records to remain confidential as provided by law. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.  
03/18/02 SENATE In Messages  
03/20/02 SENATE Received, referred to Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; Appropriations -SJ 01218  
03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care
- S 2326 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Dawson (Similar H 1799, Compare H 1827, S 2230)  
Health Care Facilities; cites act as "Safe Staffing for Quality Care Act"; provides legislative findings re standards for staffing health care facilities in order to ensure safety of patients; specifies nurse-to-patient ratios; prohibits facility from requiring that health care employees work more than specified periods of overtime; provides for facility to be terminated from Medicaid program following violation of act, etc. Effective Date:

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S 2326 \*(Continued)

10/01/2002.

03/11/02 SENATE CS read first time on 03/13/02 -SJ 00520

03/12/02 SENATE Now in Judiciary -SJ 00511

03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Judiciary

H 1799 GENERAL BILL by Frankel (Similar CS/S 2326, Compare H 1827, S 2230)

Safe Staffing for Quality of Care; creates said act; provides legislative findings; provides health care facility staffing requirements; provides for emergency exceptions & provides limitations; provides employee rights, including right to refuse assignments that violate standards, & whistleblower protections; provides for private rights of action for certain violations; requires public disclosure of certain information, etc. Creates 395.0500-.0509. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

02/12/02 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00214

02/15/02 HOUSE Referred to Health Regulation (HCC); Fiscal Responsibility Council; Council for Healthy Communities -HJ 00264

H 1827 03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Health Regulation (HCC) GENERAL BILL by Peterman (Identical S 2230, Compare H 1799, CS/S 2326)

Safe Staffing/Health Care; cites as "Safe Staffing for Intensive Care & Life-Preserving Monitored Care"; provides legislative findings re standards for staffing health care facilities & intensive care units in order to ensure safety of patients; prohibits facility from penalizing or retaliating against employee who reports certain violations or participates in investigations or proceedings; authorizes AHCA to adopt rules re enforcement of staffing requirements, etc. Effective Date: 10/01/2002.

02/12/02 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00216

02/15/02 HOUSE Referred to Health Regulation (HCC); Fiscal Responsibility Council; Council for Healthy Communities -HJ 00264

S 2230 03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Health Regulation (HCC) GENERAL BILL by Meek (Identical H 1827, Compare H 1799, CS/S 2326)

Safe Staffing/Health Care; cites as "Safe Staffing for Intensive Care & Life-Preserving Monitored Care"; provides legislative findings re standards for staffing health care facilities & intensive care units in order to ensure safety of patients; prohibits facility from penalizing or retaliating against employee who reports certain violations or participates in investigations or proceedings; authorizes AHCA to adopt rule re enforcement of staffing requirements, etc. Effective Date: 10/01/2002.

02/19/02 SENATE Introduced, referred to Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Judiciary; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations -SJ 00267

02/28/02 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Health, Aging and Long-Term

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S 2230 (Continued)

02/28/02 SENATE Care, 03/05/02, 1:00 pm, 110-S --Temporarily postponed

03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care

S 2368 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Peadar Pharmacies/Medicaid Audits; provides requirements for audit conducted of Medicaid-related records of pharmacy licensed under Pharmacy laws; requires that pharmacist be provided prior notice of audit; provides that pharmacist is not subject to criminal penalties without proof of intent to commit fraud; requires that AHCA establish procedure for conducting preliminary review; exempts certain audits conducted by Medicaid Fraud Control Unit of Legal Affairs Dept., etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

03/20/02 SENATE Withdrawn from Judiciary -SJ 01212; Now in Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services

03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services

S 2372 \*\*GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Klein (Similar H 1469, Compare 1ST ENG/H 0525)

Arthritis Prevention & Education; creates said act; provides legislative findings & purposes; directs Health Dept. to establish arthritis prevention & education program; requires dept. to conduct needs assessment; provides for establishment of advisory panel on arthritis; provides for implementation of public awareness effort; provides for funding through contributions; directs Secretary of Health to seek federal waivers as necessary to maximize federal funding. Creates 385.210. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

03/14/02 SENATE Withdrawn from Governmental Oversight and Productivity -SJ 00589; Now in Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services

03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services

H 1469 GENERAL BILL by Littlefield (Similar CS/S 2372, Compare 1ST ENG/H 0525)

Arthritis Prevention & Control; creates "Arthritis Prevention & Control Act"; provides legislative findings & purposes; directs Health Dept. to establish arthritis prevention & control program; requires dept. to conduct needs assessment; provides for establishment of advisory panel on arthritis; provides for implementation of public awareness effort; provides for funding through contributions, etc. Creates 385.210. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

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H 1469 (Continued)

03/11/02 HOUSE Withdrawn from Health & Human Services  
Appropriations (FRC) -HJ 00950; Now in Council for  
Healthy Communities

H 0525 03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Council on Council for Healthy Communities  
GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Littlefield; Murman; Fasano; (CO-SPONSORS)  
Crow; Bennett; Flanagan; Paul; Clarke; Wallace; Green; Gannon;  
Harrington; Lerner; Sobel; Greenstein; Wishner; Joyner; Kilmer;  
Stansel; Brummer; Spratt; Kravitz; Arza; Justice; Davis; Berfield;  
Baxley; Gottlieb; Cusack; Siplin; Waters; Bilirakis; Benson;  
Bendross-Mindingall; Henriquez; Holloway; Seiler; Romeo; Bullard;  
Mayfield (Compare H 1469, S 0672, CS/S 2372)  
Arthritis Act/Prostrate Cancer Prog.; creates "Arthritis Prevention  
& Education Act"; directs Health Dept. to establish arthritis  
prevention & education program; provides for implementation of  
public awareness effort; directs Health Secretary to seek federal  
waivers as necessary to maximize federal funding; establishes  
Prostate Cancer Awareness Program within Health Dept.; creates  
prostate cancer advisory committee, etc. Creates 385.210.  
Effective Date: 07/01/2002.  
03/18/02 SENATE In Messages  
03/20/02 SENATE Received, referred to Health, Aging and Long-Term  
Care; Governmental Oversight and Productivity;  
Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human  
Services; Appropriations -SJ 01216  
03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term  
Care